THE VUTOR A TIMES, TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1897. If, gentlemen-if his ambition to pass the mail should be real-economy should SILVER TREATIES DO APPLY **GOES LOWER** AN ABOTIC VISION. RECESSIONAL. (Rudyard Kipling, in London Times.) prevail. vitten by Bret Harte at the time Fellow-citizens, prosperity demands it; God of our fathers, known of old-Alaska purchase. gentlemen, patriotism punctuates the sentiment with applause. Lord of our far-flung battle line-Beneath Whose awful Hand we hold where the short-legged Esquimau Thus, my friends, you see clearly the benefits of a tariff for revenue only, which I started out to prove, and which Metal-Lowest Price Law Officers of the Crown in England in the ice and snow, Dominion over paim and pine-Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet, And the playful polar bear Nips the hunter unaware, where by day they track the ermine Give Their Decision re Prefer-Lest we forget-lest we forget! ential Tariff. in Years. I have so clearly done. The tumult and the shouting dies-The captains and the kings depart; and by night another vermin-Gentlemen, I thank you. ms on St. EHas's cone; where the Still stands Thine ancient Sacrifice. An humble and a contrite heart. ONE OUT, ALL OUT. An Important Ruling Affecting Trade Tooth Ache olar dock, where Nature slips rom her ways her icy ships, A Dollar Now Worth Less Than Forty-Lord of Hosts, be with us yet, Lest we forget-lest we forget! of This Country-How the Case A young curate, an enthusiast at the game, set himself to organize a cricket Four Cents in Gold-Demoralet the news that flying goes Now Stands. ... and All Pain hrill through all your Arctic floes, Far-called our navies melt awayization Everywhere. Ga dune and headland sinks the fire-Lo, on all our pomp of yesterday Is one with Niveveh and Tyrel Judge of the Nations, spare us yet, team in the country parish to which he Till the tidings circling round Every bay of Norton Sound, Throw the vocal tide wave back had been lately appointed. The only available field was one owned by a but-Has received more honest, unsolicher, a good-natured, but quick-tempered Ottawa, Aug. 7.-Officers of the man, who had never handled a bat, but who was well disposed towards the new New York, Aug. 6.-Cable dispatches cited testimonials from reputable On the spot where Eugene Sue Lest we forget- lest we forget! crown in England have given a decision from London report a further weakness ed his wretched Wandering Jew, people than any other remedy Stands a form whose features strik Russ and Esquimau alke, If drunk with sight of power, we loose on the question argued before them by minister. When a committee, headed in the silver market there. The local Wild tongues that have not Thee in awe Such boasting as the Gentiles use Sir Louis Davies as to whether the new by the curate, walted upon him, he remarket was sympathetically affected, of the age. He it is whom Skalds of old sponded in the most generous manner. Lend his field? Of course he would. with quotations declining to new low re-In their Runic rhymes foretold; Lean of flank and lank of jaw Canadian tariff, in extending a prefer-Or lesser breeds without the Lawcord figures. Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet, ence to Great Britain, violated the pro-More than that he would join the club, The best advices from London report See the real Northern Thor! See the awful Yankee leering visions of the Belgian and German trea- and take a hand in the game now and Lest we forget-lest we forget! the price of bar silver there as approxities. They decided that article 15 of the treaty with Belgium, and article 7 of the treaty with the German zollverein, duly enrolled as a member of the alub Just across the Straits of Behring; On the drifted mow, too plain For heathen heart that puts her trust mating 25½ pence an ounce. In reeking tube and iron shard The parity of the commercial bar sil-All valiant dust that builds on dust, Sinks his fresh tobacco stain, ver on the basis of this quotation was big cents an ounce, but owing to the existence of a moderate short interest in the market, which was covering at the decline, the rate for actual business And guarding calls not Thee to guardduly enrolled as a member of the club. 551/2 cents an ounce, but owing to the Inst beside the deep indendo apply, and that the preference given under the Canadian tariff to Great duly enrolled as a member of the club. By and by, after a little practice, the club arranged a "scratch match" among in the market, which was covering at For frantic boast and foolish word. Tation of his number ten. Thy mercy on Thy People, Lord! Leaning on his icy hammer Amen. Britain must be extended to Belgium Stands the hero of this drama, And above the wild duck's clamor In his own peculiar grammar Lo, the Arctic prologue rises: "Wall, I reckon 'taint so bad themselves, and on hearing of it the but- the decline, the rate for actual business and Germany, and that the excess of cher at once declared his intention of here was about 55% cents. NOTHING TARDY ABOUT HIM. being present at the contest. As he was the owner of the field, it seemed courteous to put him in first. He was Nominally government assay bars were duties upon the goods the products of WE GAN FIT AIM OUT quoted at 55% cents an ounce, which those qountries imported to Canada since "I guess that father-in-law of min made the value of the silver in a Seein" 'twas all they had, True, the Springs are rather late And early Falls predominate; April 22, at the date the new tariff will do," smiled a young married man of a little uncertain as to what to do with. standard silver dollar 43.21 cents. went into effect, must be refunded; and his bat, but on being told to hit the The hot wave has struck us and we are Piett Hill. "He came down to spend a The buying prices of bullion dealers for trying to keep cool. With rich quartz strikes on the Island, coal oil cans full of week or so with us. Having much the also that those nations having a treaty ball, he said that if that was all it would. Mexican dollars was 421/4 cents each, same independence of character that he with Great Britain containing the most be easy enough. The curate first took and for Peruvian soles and Chilian pesos

manifested throughout my courtship, the | favored nation clause are entitled to the | up the bowling, and the butcher had the old gentleman brought his own supply same preference so long as the treaties honor of the opening over. The first of cigars along, for he is an inveterate with Germany and Belgium are in ex- ball sent the leg-stump flying, and in resmoker. I kept mine in an open box on | the library table. They are of a favorite brand, and I pride myself on being ate on July 30th, 1898, that after that a pretty good judge of the obnoxious

titled to the preference. This decision "Within two days I detected a depreciation in the quality of my cigars. will entitle France to the same prefer ential treatment as will be granted Great They did not smoke so freely, the rich flavor of Havana was wanting, and the Britain, so long as the Belgium and Germany treaties remain in force. odor was that of burning garden truck. I couldn't account for it, and I wouldn't The other countries which have most stand it. I went to the man of whom I favored nation treaties with Great Britbay and made all kinds of kicks. He ain are the Argentine Republic, Australia, Hungary, Chili, Colombia, Costa me a new hat that the cigars he Rice, Russia, Sweden and Norway, had sold me were as good as I had ever Switzerland, Persia, and two or three bought of that brand, and I brought other countries with which we do not down what was left, just to show him that I knew a few things myself, and trade at all. Canada, of course, does little or no incidentally to get an order for a new trade with any of those countries exhat. He soon convinced me that there cept France, Germany and Belgium. were two kinds of cigars in the box. Last year we imported from these three some that he had sold me and some countries about \$9,000,000 worth of that seemed to have an Ohio wrapper on goods, out of a total import of \$120,000.a Michigan filler. Then I went into the 000. business of unraveling the mystery. It The upshot of the whole thing is that was soon done.

"Every time the old gentleman wanted to smoke he took one of my finest and substituted one of his. I said nothing and really enjoyed his good taste. I was called away for a week, and when I returned the box was empty. He had smoked everything in sight. He said nothing, and when I offered him a choice weed from my pocket he tersely. informed me that he always bought his own cigars."

SCALES USED BY ASSAYERS.

hair from a man's head can be easily and

The question most commonly asked by visitors in a chemist's laboratory is "How small a thing can you weigh on your scales?" It conveys little meaning to tell the average person that a good pair of chemist's balances will weigh accurately to one-tenth of one milligramme, but if he is told that a short

ish goods, namely, a reduction of onethrough which compressed air will be eighth from the general tariff until July forced from a central power station. 30, 1898, when there will be a return to There are openings at the ends of each the legitimate operation of the reciprocal section of the tube, closed by valves. clause in the Canadian tariff, confined The tube is open at its under side from to goods from Great Britain, New South end to end, providing for the passage of Wales and any other country which, in a pair of pendent plates, from which the the opinion of the Canadian government, air car is suspended, and is supported at grants to Canada as favorable treatment intervals by posts. The plates depend as Canada grants to us. It was quite adfrom trolleys within the tube, each carmitted in the discussion of this question rying a piston. At their periphery the last session that if the German and Belplates are provided with an elastic packgian treaties applied, the preference ing, which makes an air-tight joint with would have to be extended. The point of the tube. The longitudinal opening in dispute between Sir Louis Davies and the tube is covered by an elastic valve, the opposition being as to whether these in the face of which is a strip of steel. treaties did apply or not. Sir Richard Cartwright put the thing The pendent plates have lateral flanges.

istence. It follows that as the treaties

with Germany and Belgium will termin-

date none of the nations having the most favored nation clause will be en-

the goods of these countries will be ad-

mitted at the same rates of duty as Brit-

in a nutshell as follows: "Great Britain, which at the forward end of the troimay compel us in our capacity of suz- ley lift the elastic valve from its seat erain and in hers as a sovereign state to open a passage for the trolley plates.

covering from the momentum of a tre-

mendous swipe the batsman himself

knocked down the other two. He took

"You can't play any more,' said the

"You're out," yelled the fielders in ex-

planation. "It means that you can't

"Oh, is that it?" replied the butcher.

"I can't play any more?" said the

"Then, out of my field, every blessed

one of you!" roared the butcher. And

TRAVEL BY COMPRESSED AIR.

Richard Dix, of London, has invented

a plan which, if carried out successfully.

will enable people to travel in cars sus-

pended high above the earth, impelled

by compressed air. The coaches will be

pendent from an overhead iron tube.

no notice, but shaped for the next hall

impire. "You are out."

play any more.'

'What?" said the butcher

"Yes." said the fielders.

"No," replied the fielders.

"Yes," yelled the fielders.

"I am out, am I?"

out they had to go.

butcher, looking around angrily.

The weakness of the silver market is having a very disturbing effect upon exchange operations with countries that are on a silver basis. In Mexico gold has advanced to an exceedingly high premium.

dition of the silver market in London afforded by the difficulty that local bullion dealers had to obtain quotations from abroad. A cable dispatch received by one firm reads:

you will sell." The decline in silver is also having a very disturbing effect upon the holders of silver mining securities. Some of the western silver mines are reported to be operating at an actual loss on the basis of present quotations, and it is expected they will be forced to shut down.

London dispatches ascribe the great weakness in silver to liquidation by many holders in the metal. No such decline has been witnessed since June, 1893. The Indian mints were closed to a free silver coinage on June 26 of that year. On the news silver bullion fell in London from 37% pence an ounce to a price belaw 30, put it rallied sharply later. A cable from London says: The details of the gold movement of the week are about £54,000 imported from Aus

In addition to the £500,000 already despatched from Sydney to San Francisfurther large shipments are being ranged. Silver is demoralized.

practically ceased entirely. Exchange in Shanghai has fallen to a point less than 3 per cent, below the silver import point and yet the Chinese will not take silver India is still in the market for silver in gradually decreasing amounts, but there the mints are closed.

HOT IN ENGLAND,

Great Britain and the United States h communicated with the tribes from Flor ida to Canada, advising them that then recommend it for muscular swellings, pains and aches in any part of the body where an external application is requir-Sold by Jno. Cochrane and Campbell, the druggists. 25 cents. AN ESCAPE IN A COFFIN.

andle-bars?" "Yes," replied the man who had obbed "Good," exclaimed Holmes.

the kind yonder fellow rides. I ca at a glance, too, that he uses a wheel. "Wonderful!" his companion ejac

"How is it possible for you to all this by merely glancing at him? "Easy enough, my dear sir, know, how," the great detective and ed. "Look at his hands. You see are sunburned only upon the bony face just above the trumbs. If he the old style handle-bars his hands be sunburned all over the backs." "Most extraordinary deduction neard of," said the citizen.

"Now," continued Sherlock Hol Jr., "notice his walk. You see just an ordinary gait. If he rode a geared machine he would move nuick, nervous steps. On the hand, if his machine was high-ge his steps would be slow and firm. he walks along in just a common hence the bicycle that he rides is a dium gear.'

"This is simply astonishing." deck e man at the detective's side. tell me how you would know that

The great thief-catcher drew

puff from his cigarette, permitted

lungs for about a minute and a half,

"His nose!" exclaimed the

'Surely you can't tell whether a

is a thief or not by simply lookin

"Not in all cases," Holmes respo

"but in such cases as this it i

simplest thing in the world. You

the end of his nose has been expos

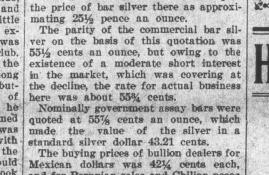
moke to circulate freely through

fellow rides a stolen wheel?"

"Look at his nose."

then replied:

his nose!"



38% cents.

An indication of the demoralized con-

"No market. Name price at which

tralian; £50,000 from the Cape, and £15.-000 from China.

The demand of China for silver has

ondon Sweltering-Crops Suffering Want of Rain, London, Aug. 7 .- The long spell of hot weather was broken by severe thunderstorms on Thursday and Friday. which several persons were killed and number of buildings damaged and crops sustained serious injury.

Boise de Vincennes. In one alley in that came, he shouldered his disappointment part alone six bodies of suicides were heroically and marched from the place. found during the past week, and the morgue is full of dead bodies found in FORT USED AS A BARN. the river Seine, and there is no further A few days ago Ben L. Jones converted room for more. the old fort built in 1806 at Fort Hawkins into a barn. Although the old log struc-GOLF IN AMERICA. ture has stood the storm of shot and shell

and has been exposed to all the varying changes of weather since that early period, Ten years ago there was one golf club a the United States. Three years ago not an unsound timber is to be seen in it to-day. The logs of which it is constructed the United States Golf Association was are as solid and sound as they were at first. The fort was made of Georgia heart pine. organized by five clubs-the Chicago Golf Club, the Country Club of Brookline, and to-day it would burn like rosin if a Mass., Newport Golf Club. St. Andrew's match were stuck to a ragged end. Golf Club and Shinnecock Hills Golf The structure was built as a Governmen Since then the membership has Club. trading post or factory, where deer skins swelled to such an extent that to-day were purchased from the Indians. During there are no less than eighty-eight or-ganizations swearing allegiance to the the Oreek war, from 1812 to 1814, it was a rendezvous and distributing point for the rendervous and distributing point for the United States soldiers, and Maj. Phil Cook was in command. Anticipating the dan-gers from the torch of the treacherous red man, the whites built the fort on a high governing body as members, and 17 associates. The game evidently suits American tastes and conditions far better than cricket .-- Buffalo Commercial. stone foundation, the floor of the wooden structure extending beyond the rock walls.

MOSQUITOES IN OLONDYKE.

scale the walls to set fire to the woodwork. During the famous Creek war incited by Tecumseh and his brother, who was known as the prophet, this building was in the centre of the territory attacked. Tecumseh It is reported by returned miners that the northern mosquitoes are something enormous in size, and that they are not at all backward in partaking of the fresh blood from the south Magic liniment is was one of the most eloquent of Indians, positively mosquito proof when applied and when the war was begun between to the hands and face and indispensable in the miner's medicine chest. We also

shade. Lime Juice, 25c. Root Beer, 10c. St. Louis Lager, 4 pts., 25c. Local Beer, 4 qts., 50c.

the yellow metal in the Yukon and the big clean-ups in our bargains, it is 90 in the

Ontario Cider, 20c,

Kops Cheer, 2 for 25c.

DIXI H. ROSS & CO.

But the ice crop's pretty sure And the air is kind of pure; There's a right smart chance for fur All along this recent purchase, And unless the stories fail, Every fish from cod to whale;

Bocks too; mebbe quartz; let's see 'Twould be strange if there should ms I've heard such stories told: Eh! Why bless you-yes, it's gold!

While the blows are falling thick From his California pick, You may recognize the Thor vision that I saw-Freed from visionary glamor, the real magician's hammer.

APTURE OF A BICYCLE TH

"Hah!" exclaimed Sherlock Ho Jr., the great bicycle thief-cat "yonder goes our man. You say the wheel that was stolen from

was a seventy-two gear, with ram's

accurately weighed, the questioner begins to approach the delicacy of adjustment in the scales. More delicate still are the balances used by the assavers. The weighing of gold by an assayer requires the greatest possible accuracy, since a small speck of metal on that scale pau may represent very large quantities of it in the ore or bullion out in the works. The balances used by this done that, if the decision should go "gold work" are the most sensitive of against us we mean to appeal to the any used for commercial work, and, in British government and the nation to do fact, are more accurate than those emus justice by repealing this clause and ployed by many scientists. Some idea of denouncing these treaties which have their accuracy and sensitiveness can be been enacted to our manifest detriment." obtained by the following experiment:

A pece of ordinary white paper the size of a cent is carefully weighed, and then a short pencil mark is drawn on it and the paper reweighed. This second weighing will differ from the first by just the graphite left by the pencil mark. If care is taken and the balances are perfectly adjusted the result will always be the same, no matter how many times the paper without the pencil mark and the paper with it be weighed. The two weighings always differ just the same amount, and that is the added weight of the graphite. Of course such balances require the greatest care, for they easily Germany, France and Belgium. get out of order, and when once disar ranged there is no telling how long it PHIL OSSIFER'S TARIFF TALK. may take to get them adjusted again. It may be two minutes and it may be Fellow citizens: Let us stop talking bicycles this evening and for a few short

two hours. Some assayers say that it is impossible to work with "gold balances" unless one possesses a large stock tariff for revenue only. Fellow citizens. of patience and profanity. From what what use is a tariff for revenue only if I know of skillful assayers I should say that this is approximately true. ary of a Bugtown postmaster.

WORLD'S MINERS' CONGRESS.

"The Miners' International Congress has had its annual sessions, and its various members have gone to their houses in France, Germany, Belgium, Great Britain and elsewhere. The con-"gress," says the National Labor Tribune. "represents all leading European nations, and is as polyglot as an international gathering can be. In such a mixed multitude all kinds of theories and sentiments are represented, but some good practical work has been done in spite of discordant elements. Among the resolutions passed at the recent congress was one to establish a medical service in connection with the mines It was also unanimously resolved that arbitration courts should be established for the mining industry. These decisions are eminently practical, and are on the line of reform. The next meeting place will be Vienna, Austria. It is to be hoped a gathering of this interna-tional character, with its vast possibilities, both for good and evil, will not get off the rond that leads to justice and mony in the relations of capital and

of weak or lame back, backache, will find relief by wearing one Smart Weed and Belladona Jasters, Price 25 cents

to give Germany and Belgium the same The compressed air is pumped into reprivileges which we offer to her, and we ceivers by pipes and caps. A small high may not be able to resist her sovereign pressure piston supplies air to the back of the piston and forces forward the carwill. Honorable gentlemen opposite are terribly exercised as to what we are go- riage. At the junction of sections the tube will open to the atmosphere, and the ing to do in case the British government do not see things exactly as we impetus given to the trolley will suffice. do. We mean to fight this point by when desired, to pass the carriage from all legal and constitutional means until one section to another, and the car will we get a decision; and after we have go on without intermission .- Chicago Inter-Ocean.

VALUE OF TEAK.

In an article in Timber (London), on the value of teak for structural and me-That decision is known, that apchanical purposes, the claim is put forth peal has been made; it has been successthat such wood is really the most durful, and although Canada will for a perable timber known and of especial imiod of a few months be compelled to portance to shipbuilders, being very grant a preferential tariff to these counhard, very light, easily worked, and, tries, the matter will be put beyond all though porous, strong and lasting. It dispute and adjusted satisfactorily one is soon seasoned, shrinks but little, and month after the end of the financial on account of its oily nature does not year, when the reduction of 25 per injure iron. In Southeastern Asia it is not only considered the best material for cent. shall have been in operation just 30 days. The Canadian consumer can ship construction, but for house carpenvery well stand a reduction of 121 per cent. until June 30 next, and of 25 per try and other work where strength and other lasting qualities are required. cent. for 30 days thereafter, on goods is rarely attacked by ants of the white not only from Great Britain, but from species, and its rare durability renders specially valuable in a climate like that of India, where the elements caus

ing decay are so numerous and powerful where dampness brings on rapid decomposition, and where the white ant devours without scruple. In the operation minutes discuss the live proposition of of cutting this wood is frequently girdled one or two years before it is felled.

Remarkable Cure of Chronic Diarhes.

the price of potatoes don't go up? What use is a tariff if it doesn't raise the sal-In 1862, when I served my country as a private in Company A, 167th Penn-Fellow-citizens, we have some slaims sylvania Volunteers, I contracted chronic to that distinguished office, and if Sam Blades doesn't cut us out by telling around that we voted for Nick Jenks for dozen different medicines and several pathmaster in 1876-Nick being a Demoprominent doctors without any permancrat-we expect to get it. Why shouldn't ent relief. Not long ago a friend sent mé a sample bottle of Chamberlain's the salary of the pathmaster be raised? Gentlemen, why shouldn't it? Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Fellow-citizens, if there is no reason and after that I bought and took a 50 why it shouldn't be raised, I pause to cent bottle; and now I can say I am entirely cured. I cannot be thankful Fellow-citizens, if Sam Blades gets enough to you for this great remedy, and that office, the salary is high enough. recommend it to all suffering veterans It's more than he's earning now. Gen-If in doubt write me. Yours gratefully. tlemen, in that event let it be reduced. Henry Steinberger, Allentown, Pa. Sold by all druggists. Langley & Henderson Bros., wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

The tug Lorne left last evening for the Sound with the barks Highland Light and Sydenham, which are charter-

Constipation Gausses fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces billousness, torpid liver, indi-Hoods ed to load lumber. ongue, sick headache, in-

hear it. There is no reason.

nia, etc.

results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. ills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children

Chart Antehn.

The thermometer registered 90 on Wednesday in London, and at Cambridge the heat was 18 degrees above the average, which has only thrice been reached during the last quarter of a century. There were over 200 prostrations from heat treated at six London hospitals on Thursday. There was a third of an inch of rain in July. The crops are seriously threatened, and the experiences of the 1896 water famine in the East end of London are already looming up. The heat, which has been unusually pro-longed, has affected the London death rate. There were 2,023 deaths last week, of whom 1,205 were children, bringing up the death rate to 23.6 per thousand. There were many sunstrokes and general discomfort was experienced.

EPIPEMIC OF SUICIDES.

Great Increase in the Number of Cases of Self-Destruction in Paris.

Paris, Aug. 7.-There has been a veritable epidemic of suicides in Paris for weeks past, the recent tropical heat adding to the number of cases. The tragedies commenced with the self-destruction on July 7 last of four young ressmakers in the Poisonere Quarter at Pays, who suffocated themselves in a small room with the fumes of a char-

coal stove. Since then, almost daily, one or more women have committed sui diarrhoea. It has given me a great deal cide, and self-murder among men is of trouble ever since. I have tried a equally numerous. The bodies of men are found daily hanging to trees in the

> ONE HONEST MAN. To the Paul

To the Publicher: Please inform your readers that if written to config denially I will mail in a scaled envelope the plan for the plan of the plan of the plan of the plan plan of the plan of the plan of the plan of the plan have no scheme to extor money from any one. May no scheme to extor money from any one may be a scheme to extor money from any one. May no scheme to extor money from any one may be a scheme to extor money from any one. May no scheme to extor money from any one may be faith in makind, but thank Heaven, I may be a scheme to the plan of the plan in the scheme to the strong and antices the met the set of the plan of the plan following your address you a bout my case. After following your address which you so blindly grave money following your address which you so blindly grave money following your address which you so blindly grave money to the have been the plan of the plane following your address which you so blindly grave money to the plan of the plan of the plane to the plan you scheme the plane the plane of the plane to the plane when you scheme the plane to the plane when you scheme the plane to the plane when you scheme the plane the plane of the plane of the plane of the plane the plane of the plane of the plane the plane of the plane of the plane of the plane of the plane the plane of the pl

dness." Heaven grant you a long and prosperous life, is wish of a cured finance. Judge of my surprise to receive a kind letter to valuable advice, absolutely free." It is the first advanthement I have answered it did not ask me to call at the Express Office and y for medicines that I had not ordered." I am happy to say that you are truly an Honese in a deserve the undersement of both Pulpit on : I have nothing to sell, and want no In Concentration a mixture halfever in the universal brotherhood of man, 3 am desirous of helping the unfortunate to regain their health and happingsa. Perfect secrecy assured. Address with stamp:

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Under the title of "Forcats et Pro scrits," M. Paul Miraude has just published a book in France, which, like his "Criminopolis" of last year, treats of penal institutions, those of Cayenne sioner to Georgia to draw up a treaty with forming the matter of the newer volume. There is a wealth of material, both curi ous and instructive, in the subject, and the author has made the most of it. Among the many anecdotes he relates is an interesting one concerning the efforts of a murderer to escape from the Cayenne Penitentiary in a coffin, which he stole for the purpose from the stores. He succeeded in launching his strange craft, and although his absence was soon discovered, it was not suspected that he had escaped by sea, as no boat was missing; it was therefore believed that he had committed suicide. Unfortunately for the convict. his pseudo-boat

was observed by the officers of a ship which was coming from Antilles, and a skiff was sent to investigate. The coffin was surrounded by screaming sea gulls,

besides having an escort of two sharks, which swam so close to it that their fins constantly struck against its sides. The man was at the bottom, half submerged, and was more than half dead. He was put in irons, and a short time later he was back in the penitentlary.

THE SEDUCTIVE PHONOGRAPH.

Farmer Meadowgrass came to town last week, and seeing the sights on Woodward avenue - wandered into a phongraph parlor. Just to satisfy the cravings of his depraved nature, he dropped a nickel into the slot to hear the music, accompanying the action with the

remark: "My sporting blood would always get the best of me."

The music began. The first selection was "Way Down Upon the Suwanee River." and the old gentleman took it rather calmly. The next was "Sweet Little Rosie O'Grady" and the old gen tleman's face was like a benediction. Then came a hymn, "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing," and the farmer's face lengthened into prayer meetin regulation length. But last on the schedule was a lively, old-fashioned eel, and his face lit up like magic. His feet began to move nervously. His limbs twitched, and voluntarily he began to shuffle. . Scon, his feet were keeping time with the music, and it was not long be-fore he was describing the real sort of reel. At the end of the tune his feet came down "kerplunk" and be gave ut-terance to a satisfied sort of vocal ex-losive much like "whore and" while he olosive. ch like "whoopea!" while he miled broadly.

"Pardner, gives us that again," he said to the atte idant, but when assured that he would have to wait until the turn

time for the Indians their lands from the whites. He read in an Eastern paper that a comet would appear in the sky at a given time. So he notified the Indians that when his arrow appeared in the heavens it would be a sign for them to attack the whites. Old Fort Hawkins, perhaps, was more vigorously attacked in pursuance of this order than was any other in the country.

Portholes were made in the extended floor, so as to shoot Indians who might try to

The fort received its name from Benjamin Hawkins, a Senator from North Car olina, who had been appointed a commisthe Creek Indians .- Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.

THE LATEST BICYCLE.

The latest form of a bicycle is called the mpanion quad." As its name indicates, it carries four persons. It has received a fair test and is said to be a great success When the machine on the same principle made for two came out a little over a year ago it was ridiculed, and for some time wheelmen refused to take it up, but now quite a number of them are in use. companion quad is not meant for track work, and the four men who try to sprint on it will have a lively experience, but i is a great innovation in pleasure wheel and it is believed it will in time become quite as popular as the tandem.

CURE

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Headache, yet CARTER'S LITTLE LITER PILL re equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while hey also correct all disorders of the stomach timulate the liver and regulate the bowels twen if they only cured

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sche they would be almost priceless to these who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end ers, and these who once try them will find ness little pills valuable in a many ways that

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the sun. It has just begun to pee Well, what does that signify? M this, my dear fellow: The fellow ha dared to buy a cap, for fear of arou suspicion, so he has been getting with a common hat, with the result I have pointed out." The wonderful man then walked THE CHANGING ENGLISH JA the teeth of modern generations.

the thief, clasped a pair of hand upon him, and when the evidence, a forth here, was in court, there was thing left for the culprit but to co and receive his sentence of impriso at hard labor for life.-Cleveland Le

Education is playing sad havoe experienced dentist in the West says, and he ought to know. Forn lecayed teeth were generally attrib o a secret fondness for bonbons, bu idea is, it appears, quite a mistake. fact, sugar is rather nourishing otherwise. The truth is that the cient, sturdy square jaw of the Eng race is changing through lessons book learning to an angular or V-sh which presses the molars one upon other, does not give them room to g and will in time prevent some of t cutting at all. Indeed, this catastre is not infrequent already. In r cases the original teeth are becoming in number than they ought to be. often the "wisdomers" fail to app This, in an "educated jaw," is lan table. The new facial form is, accor to the dentist, much cultivated by lac who find that it is popular among get men. The latter like women with 'educated" angle of chin, which gene ly carries with it pearly but very teeth. If the specialist be right, this cess of selection, aided by further sons and more study, will, in the co of time, produce a race without teeth at all. Then will the dentists n tunes, for people will require artificial sets from babyhood ward .- London Telegraph.

