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GERALDINE HITS BACK.

NOTICE-I hereby give notice that from and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Geraldine Wall. J. J. WALL.

NOTICE-I didn't know that J. J. Wall had any credit except at saloons and breweries. - GERALDINE WALL,-Adv. in Nanaimo (B. C.) Free Press.

WITTE'S WELCOME.

Sergius Witte, who left St. Petersburg for Portsmouth with hardly a corporal's guard of officials at the station to see him off, returns to be welcomed by an applauding crowd and a flattering address. There are those who say that he left St. Petersburg accompanied by the expectation of the war party that he was entering a "cul-de-sac" from which he could not emerge with credit. He must either return with the confession that it was impossible to make peace with the Japanese, or he must return to accept the unpopularity of having made a disgraceful peace. If so, the war party is disappointed; for he returns with peace on better terms than were dreamed possible.

This welcome to Witte, the Russian Disraeli, who brings back "peace with honor," may mean much for the cause of reform in Russia, and of humanity throughout the world. Always strong as the greatest financier in an Empire whose finances were ever in need of strength he will now be immensely stronger as the Russian statesman who brought honor out of hopeless dishonor-the one great Russian who won a victory in the Japanese war. This added influence will tell for reform, and not the least shrewd move made by the Japanese was thus to augment the power at home of the Russian leader who would do most to turn the minds of his countrymen away from the glamor of war to the triumphs of peace.

SAWBATH DAY SPEED. Scottish American.

The strenuous American must have a hard time abiding by the Sabbath; laws of Edinburg. One of the most recent by-laws passed by the corporation of that city prohibits running or tast walking on the streets on over the plate. fast walking on the streets on the first day of the week. One exception only is made-it, in going to or coming from church a citizen's hat blows off he may run in pursuit of it, provided that he runs reverently.

FINISHED WITH A FLOURISH. Scottish American.

A gentleman, not exactly given to piety, was dismayed at being asked to say grace at a strange table. To refuse and explain would be embarrass-He chose the latter, and started off briskly enough with "Oh, Lord, bless this table--" Just here being unused to the business, he nearly broke down, but, by a gigantic effort, pulled through with "World without end. Yours respectfully, amen."

WHOM THEY WERE AFTER. New York Times.

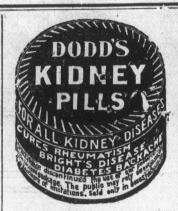
Ralph Peters, the new president and general manager of the Long Island tailroad, has a new joke which he deelares was cabled to him from Paris. It has to do with the recent attempt to assassinate King Alphonso of Spain when he was riding through Paris in a carriage with President

Loubet of France. "Whom are they after ?" Mr. Peters declares the king asked the Presi-

"After you, my dear Alphonso," replied the French chief executive without a smile.

SAME OLD HUMAN NATURE.

Osborne (Kan.) Farmer. It does beat the world how jealous we all are. We are always ready to jump out and praise some fellow who is engaged in something that doesn't cross our path. He is a crackerjack if he is working in another field But the moment he gets over into our front yard we begin to knock him. All of us are too much stuck on ourselves. The lawyer thinks he COTTAM BIRD SEED, 19 5. London, Con knows more than the fellow who is on the other side. When the other fellow skins him he lays it all on the justice. When some fellow beats our time with a young lady we always say: "It does beat the dickens what fools these girls will make of themselves." There is a business that would beat Standard Oil profits if it could be worked. Just buy men



MEDAL OF HUMAN IRON. Minneapolis Tribune.

There is iron in the blood, just as there is iron in the earth, and the human body can be mined as the earth is mined, and human iron, like earth iron, can be moulded into coins medals, stoves, anything. The experiment, however is seldom tried.

But Professor Berard, a celebrated French surgeon, used to keep on his writing-desk a paper weight of human iron. In his surgical capacity the man drew continually a great deal of blood, and for a while he saved this red fluid and extracted the iron from it.

To Jules Chagrin, senior surgeon o the Hospital du Midi, of Paris, a medal of human iron was presented on his sixty-fifth birthday.

Dr. Chagrin was so beloved by the inmates of the hospital that enough of them contributed blood to allow of the casting of a handsome medal of two ounces' weight.

They who have seen human iron 'say it is very fine and pure. There is, however, little likelihood of its ever supplanting the iron from the earth

FITZ IMMONS' KI MINISCENCES

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selves in the face nights. I guess you've got the best of the lot of them, old chap. There's about as much talk of you in this country now as any of them, and you've brought yourself up them, and you've brought yourself up to it with not a thing but your two hands, and you've never had to lie to a lot of widows and kids, and steal your friends' money to do it either. There are a lot of men here that will call you a brute, but I'd rather be a brute that way than a gentleman crook by their way."

Maybe you folks that read this will think this was conceited, but it was not meant that way. I meant it and I still mean it, and I'm going to go on trying to mean it, and it's the only

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Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

INEXPENSIVE JOY.

What pleasure can with this compare, To sit down in our easy chair And place our feet above our head And while our ancient pipe grows red To cast all troubles far behind

We look up through the hazy smoke, And, though we may be worse that And, though we may be worse that broke.

That does not tend to mar the dream; We resurrect some ancient scheme, Some silly plan that seems worth while And nets us quite a little pile.

For, sitting in the easy chair, We reach up in the teeming air And bring down with a skillful yank Enough to start a good sized bank, And then before the gold takes wings We spend it for a lot of things.

We build a noble pile in Spain, We ride forth on a special train, We buy an auto that looks good And gasoline the neighborhood, And have enough left after that To buy our wife a new spring hat.

Ah, isn't it a pity, say,
That money does not come that way,
That fortunes are not ready made
When we are working at our trade,
And that the rent we cannot pay
With money we pull in that way?

An Old Story. Professor Von Diggem, who has been delving down with a pick and spade to the stone age, has discovered a pretty little story which on translation goes to prove that girls were much the same at all ages of the world.

This block of granite relates a love story of the time when tobacco and automobiles had not appeared on the scene, and therefore the people had no trouble in living several hundred

Being tied to a woman for life was a serious matter. South Dakota lay in its virgin purity, not having been disthe amusements of the day. The hero of this story to make certain that he was making no mistake courted a girl 110 years before making up his mind and then one evening in an offhanded manner asked her if she would marry Did she arise to the occasion?

The trythful narrative carved in stone proves that she did. "Oh. Abecedad." emotion, "this is so sudden! Give me about fifty-one years to think over the matter and then call around for your

With Trimmings.

Chance to Run New Bills. "I would like to come back to the earth in about 1,000 years." Think all your creditors would be dead by that time?" 11. was 19 " 1 1200



slept for three months. "In the watermelon business, I pre

His Mental Recreation The mule, impassive and sedate,
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He does it with his heels. 4 59%

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

It is easy enough to read the signs of the times these days when they are painted all over fences, barns and the picturesque face of nature.

In time of peace prepare for more peace by building a navy.

Microbes that are swapping flats during a lover's kiss do not have to wear ear muffs to keep warm. Some inanimate things suffer in si

lence, but a piano always howis dread-fully when it is being pounded.

It is often the man who has nothing to lose who insists on losing sleep ever an election.



The boy with his first pair of sus penders doesn't begin to be as important as the man with his first plug hat.

The man with shoes two sizes too small often feels called upon to enrich the language.

When a man must look at his watch to see whether he is hungry or not he would better change his boarding

Did you ever notice what a beautiful fit a ten dollar suit is on a millionaire?

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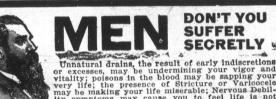
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