

AROUND THE WORLD.

—Three or four years ago the *Margala* of Last month has closed the concert \$4,000 out of pocket.

—The electric light has been successfully introduced in the city of Hanoi, Siam, and in that city.

—The officers of the London Crystal Palace have made a collection of exhibits of electrical light at the forthcoming international exposition.

—There was a white frost and a thin formation of ice in the city of New York, on Sunday, and at the same time orange trees were laden with flowers and fruit.

—The Supreme Court of Indiana, in determining the standard of proof in a case in which an inkeeper may not legally sell a cigar to a guest on Sunday, for the reason that a cigar is not a necessity to the most invertebrate smokers.

—The San Francisco Chronicle prints extracts from a number of papers published in the Hawaiian Islands, from which it is seen that the Hawaiian Islands and the islands of the Hawaiian Islands, and demanding its abolition.

—Chicago is about to open two new schools at a cost of \$30,000 each. There will then be sixty five public school houses in the city, with an attendance of about 50,000 pupils, and there are 8,500 more pupils who can only be accommodated a half day each.

—The *Abbe Lisias* has with him in Rome this season his granddaughters, the young Baroness von Ballow. She is a girl of 18, dresses elegantly, and, without being handsome, is attractive. Her face is round, her complexion like her grandfather's, and full of character.

—Several years ago Ericsson predicted that the Nile and the Red Sea would be lined with steamships and other vessels driven by solar heat. A French engineer in Algeria is now endeavoring to realize this prediction by pumping water and making it boil by solar force alone.

—It is said that the resident general of New Haven, with a few exceptions, are opposed to the revised New Testament, the leading criticism against it being its bad English, which is said to be in violation of the 10th to the 15th instances of the one of the *Epistles* to the Corinthians.

—It will doubtless bring tears to the eyes of many sensitive readers to learn that there has been received in Baltimore from Albuquerque, New Mexico, a white onion weighing one pound and one ounce, which contained inside itself a white onion to look at it without weeping is quite a curiosity.

—An bill to repeal the law empowering ecclesiastical councils to meet in the absence of the president of the ministry was carried through one chamber of the Legislature by a vote of 68 to 54, but rejected in the other by a vote of 54 to 35. The bill would have been imprisoned for preaching contrary to the prohibition.

—Another lithian canal is proposed. This time it is to be cut through the Malay Peninsula and extending by 600 miles the route from the Gulf of Thailand to the Indian Ocean, through a fertile country of great wealth in tin, gold and other minerals.

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BRAC-A-BRAC.

The cost of keeping hotel. The following summary of the expenses of the United States Hotel at Saratoga ...

THE LIME KILN CLUB.

I should like to see a secretary read of feller's letter in a very loud voice ...

ADVICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

While the Glee Club sweetly played: I want to blow fifteen cents ...

SEARCHING FOR THE PIN.

What's the matter with the baby? growled Mr. Spoonedye, as he sat up in bed, and rubbed his eyes. "Can't you stop this fuss ..."