

Athens Reporter

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

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Subscription information and advertising rates.



There is a large shadow of doubt regarding the value of the test of the sextuple bicycle race against the Empire State Express...

The city editors of the Post and Courier, two of the three morning newspapers...

In a recent communication to the Paris Academie des Sciences M. Bouny, says Engineering, gives particulars of a series of experiments made in propelling a bicycle at different speeds...

Table with 2 columns: Speed, Miles per Hour. Rows show various speeds and their corresponding mileages.

It will be seen from the above figures that the average pressure from the foot required on the pedal increases rapidly with the speed...

It often affords a bicycle rider much relief to relax his grip on the handle bars only for a few moments during a long ride...

Let the croaker tell you all about the "no road" roads that he knows all about and then go down over them and see for yourself how far they are from the truth...

EARL LI HUNG CHANG

THE CHINESE STATESMAN IS TO VISIT THE DOMINION.

Chief of the Chinese Distinguished Guest of Canada—The Most Distinguished of China's Sons—The Scholarship and Wealth of the Chinese Emperor.

Earl Li Hung Chang will be by all odds the most distinguished and distinguished-looking Chinaman who has ever come to the Dominion of Canada...

Some recent events proved that the would-be recluse at his palace at An-tai had recovered his influence with the Emperor...

When General Grant, ex-President of the United States, visited England, and we became friends, he said to me: "The world is so terrible that after I became president I was always anxious to replace them with instructions to let them go to the devil."

LI HUNG CHANG IN HIS PRIME. This excellent advice, Your Excellency will know that it was opposed to this was.

Li Hung Chang does not believe in intoxicants. He is a great smoker however. He uses a Chinese water pipe with a silver bowl about as big as your fist, containing water...

FIXING OLD HORSES.

SO THAT THE ANCIENTS WILL APPEAR YOUNG AND DESIRABLE.

Some of the Tricks of the Horse Mark to Make the Old Hacks Frisky and Game for the Road.

With nearly every man, says the New York Journal, judging the point of any horse's teeth, there is really not one out of a hundred who would know a twentieth part of the tricks played every-day in the places of the city where horses are bought and sold.

The electric light bug. A flying Cantharid with a Poisonous Hypodermic Syringe.

The green grass flies made merry with the electric lamps everywhere downtown, says the Kansas City Star.

A Giant Ape on which a Family of Nine Persons Can Ride. A monster tricycle which takes nine persons to successfully run it, is the latest track feature in the city.

Life of a Locomotive. Some careful experiments which have been made in England prove that the life of a locomotive is about 500,000 "train miles."

Thinness is often a sign of poor health. A loss of weight generally shows something is wrong. If due to a cough, cold, any lung trouble, or if there is an inherited tendency to weak lungs, take care!

NEWS AND SPORTS

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