

The eastern markets being glutted with oranges, the southern California growers lately ceased picking for a week. The orange crop in Florida is so great and prices are so low that much of the fruit is allowed to rot on the ground.

Fifteen daring young women of Philadelphia have formed a club, of which the sole condition of membership is that the applicant forswear corsets. Each one of the ladies comprising the club has consigned her whalebone cuirass to the flames, and now taxes her ingenuity to provide a substitute.

The suicide of Miss Helen Buttrick is reported from Berlin. She belonged to Milford, N. H., and was well known in Yarmouth, N. S., where she had been a visitor with Miss Hutchens. It is said she was in a gloomy state of mind, owing to remarks made by her music teachers as to her low standing in the class.

The Queen Dowager of Bavaria is dying of dropsy.

The strike in the ship-building trade in Belfast is spreading. About 1000 men are now idle.

Sir John Rae, the Arctic explorer, has been seriously ill of bronchitis and is still far from well.

The death is announced of Sir Thomas Gladstone, elder brother of the Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone.

Sir Julian Pauncfote, the new British Minister to the United States, will sail for America on April 13th.

A cotton mill at Unterhausen, near Pfullinger, Wurtemberg, was burned recently. Loss 1,500,000 marks.

Atchinoff, the Russian coloniser who had a row with French vessels, is under arrest by his own government.

Count Herbert Bismarck is visiting Lord Rosebery. He declares his visit to England is of a private nature.

Sir Morrell Mackenzie, the English doctor, has a son who is acquiring fame as an actor, and will soon try starring.

A syndicate of fourteen of the largest paper-makers has been formed to raise prices. The syndicate's capital is \$2,000,000.

A French torpedo boat foundered in a gale off Cherbourg on the 23rd inst. Her captain and fourteen of her crew were drowned.

Germany has acceded to the request of France for permission to transfer the remains of Generals Carnot and Marceau to France.

The Prussian Government has granted 6,000,000 marks to aid in the construction of a canal connecting the Elbe and Trave rivers.

They have scraped up 80,000 pounds of bones in the Egyptian deserts and taken them to the United States to be used for fertilizing purposes.

The Russian Government is considering a measure involving the expenditure of 120,000,000 roubles for increasing the number of vessels in the Navy.

Mr. Gladstone has refused an American's offer of \$500 for an article on "Best books for children," of the length of one page of the *Nineteenth Century*.

The Empress of Japan has worn European dress every day since her removal to the new palace, so that her ladies in waiting have had to follow her example.

Ex-Premier Garashanine has announced he will publish the true reasons for the abdication of King Milan. It is expected that the disclosures will cause a sensation.

Mrs. Pierie, of New York, who competed in the Nice beauty show, was awarded the first prize, which she returned with the request that it be devoted to charitable purposes.

Chilian advices state that the Government has prohibited the immigration of Chinese, but has instructed its agent in Europe to give free passage to all Europeans desiring to settle in the Republic.

The King of Holland, who has been ill for a long time, was on the 26th inst. declared incapacitated for carrying on the Government. It is reported that Minister Heinstack has been appointed Regent.

The greatest depth of the ocean of which soundings have been taken is off the coast of Japan. The water at that point is five miles deep, and on the bottom, even at that enormous depth, traces of animal life have been found.

Holders of four million pounds worth of consols refuse to convert them in compliance with Mr. Goschen's scheme of last year. Mr. Goschen has now applied to Parliament for power to compel the holders either to accept his terms or sell out to the Government.

The ship-canal which is to connect Manchester, England, with Liverpool, is being rapidly constructed, ten thousand men and a great number of steam excavators being engaged upon it. The canal will be 35 miles long, 26 feet deep, and 120 feet wide at the bottom.

A blue book on Samoan affairs has been issued. It shows that England has been throughout in cordial accord with America. She declined to accede to Germany's request for assistance and co-operation in restoring order in Samoa until she learned the American government's views on the subject.

CONSUMPTION CURED.—An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all Throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French, or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 149 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.

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It is generally known that doctors bind themselves by codes, resolutions and oaths not to use any advertised medicines. Now there is a medicine on the market which, for the past ten years, has accomplished a marvelous amount of good in the cure of Kidney and Liver diseases, and diseases arising from the derangement of these great organs,—we refer to Warner's Safe Cure. So widespread are the merits of this medicine that the majority of the doctors of this country know from actual evidence that it will cure Advanced Kidney Disease, which is but another name for Bright's Disease.

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Perhaps the doctor argues that the cure of the patient justifies his dishonesty, yet he will boldly stand up at the next local medical meeting and denounce Warner's Safe Cure as a patent medicine, and one which he cannot and will not use.

The people are waking up to the truth that the medical profession is far from honest, and that it does not possess a monopoly of wisdom in the curing of disease, doctoring the many symptoms of kidney disease, instead of striking at the seat of disease—the kidneys themselves, allowing patients to die rather than use a remedy known to be a specific, simply because it has been advertised, and when patients are dead from Advanced Kidney Disease, still practicing deception by giving the cause of death in their certificate as pneumonia, dropsy, heart disease, or some other accompanying effect of Bright's Disease.

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