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A Lady's Chances of Marrying.

A Lady's Chances of Marrying. Every woman has a chance of "ostohing a busband," but it is conceded that young iadies between twenty and twenty five works of age are more likely to draw the matrimonist prize. However it is not an undy who has passed the three-quarter con-intry mark. Yet, how can a woman, weak, dispirited, enervested and tormented by diseases common to ber sex, hope to become a happy wife and mother? Of course abe cannot's yet by the majo aid of Dr. Pierco's Favorite Proscription, all these obstacles we wept away. As a powerful, invigorat-ing tonic, Dr. Pierco's Favorite Prescription to the womb and its appendages, in par-tionlar. For overworked, "worn-out," "run-down," debilisted tasohers, milli-mers, dreasmakers, seamstresses, "abop-wite," housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble wome generally, it is the greaked arthly boon, being uncquied as an ap-petizing cordial and restorative tonic.

## The Penalty of Pride.

 The Completations of Modern Society.
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Bio-Just think ! Cousin Fritz while Sho-Just think ! Cousin Fritz while coming home from his club last night fell into the water. He-Great heavens ! I hope he didn's terremp!' He was so full He was so full

Bhe-He couldn't drown. He was so full Bhe-He couldn't drown. He was so full be couldn't swallow any water.-Texas Siftings. A Star Chumber Session. Le Diggs-Hello, Sappy, what's the mat-ter with your MoGinty? De Bappy (mystified) - My what? De Diggs-Your mustache; it's down, you know.-Pittsburg Chronicle.

A Star Chamber Session. Landlady—Jane, has Mrz Second Floor Front gone out? Jane—Xis, mon. Landlady—And is the o closed lead-ing upstairs? Jane—Xis, mom. Landlady—Ihen you may shut the kteben windows and pound the steak for dinner.

Do Not Think for a Moment

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Is was a Olear Ones. Boarding Mistress (after watching a boarder eat three nausgrs with great celerity)—You must be an Oid-Fellow, sir? Boarder-You've guessed it; but how did you know? Mistremar F may non must be by the

Do Not Think for a Moment That Catarrh will in time wear out. The theory is false. Mone try to believe it because it would be pleasant if wrue, but it is not, as all know. Do not let an acute attack of odd in the head, remain unsub-dued. It is liable to develop into catarrh. You can rid yourself of the odd and avoid all chance of catarrh by nsing Dr. Sage's Oatarrh Remedy. It already afflicted rid yourself of his tronblesome disease speedily by the same means. At all druggists. man non must be by the

Not Rightfully His Own.

Dirt, Debt and the Devil. A distinguished divine calls those three D's, Dirt, Debt and the Devil, an unmatched The Complications of Modern Society.

New Comparsion.

nly excuse for the error.-Chicago Herald. To Bridge or Tunnel.

araw where reach the shocked him down with a walking-shick he was carrying. He then took him to the Police Court and gave him in charge. This morning he gave his name as William Seymour, and claimed to be a brother of Phrenclogist Seymour, of Toronto, who, he said, lectures cocasion-ally in Shaftesbury Hall. He was sent to jail on remand to admit of an inquiry into his history. his history.

She Dreamed It.

In the Parlor.

To Bridge or Tunnel. The latest bridge or tunnel scheme is one proposed by Sonator McMillan, of Mishigan, who has iniroduced a joint resolution at Wart to cause an examination to be made into the practicability and expense of bridging or tunnelling the Straits of wachinac. At present transportation be-tween Mackinaw City and St. Ignoce is carried on by means of ferry-bosts, but this system has now become insdequate to meet the demand of the rapidly increasing traffic. The distance between the two points named is eight miles, but the bridge or tunnel would be located at a place in the Straits where the terminal points would be shout four miles apart. Two railroads run to Mackinaw City, and the ides is to give them direct connection with the roads of the upper peninsula, thus opening up all rail routes to the south from the Lake Superior mines. Break Gently. "I think," said the paster who was visit ing a parishioner, " that it is easier to coas ohildren than to drive them. Gentle words are more effective than harsh ones. You know what the poet says : Speak gently ; it is better far To rule by love than fear. "Yes, indeed," said the lady. Then should out of the window to her little

boy : "Johnnie, if you don't come in out that mud hole I'll break your back !"

## A Partial Convert.

Miss Eysglasse, of Boston-I should think, Mr. Weskwylde, that life so close to nature's heart-out on the great plains, face to face with the splendors of sun, moon and estars, the sweep of the winds, the majesty of the wide prairie-would tend to make one a Pantheist. Is it now He (about to ask for a kiss)-I have an He (about to abe for a site) - 1 have an mportant question to ask you. She (playfully)-I know what it is, George. You want me to be your wife. Bne (playfully)—I know what is is, George. Vou want me to be your wife. Well, take me. He (rather saken aback)—This is some-what sudden, isn's is ? Bhe (senderly)—I don's know, George, whether it is sudden for you or not, but I have waited for it three years.

not so Mr. not so ? Mr. Westwylde-Well-yes-at least, partly. There ain't much fancy cookin' a cowboy can manage, but some of us can flip a pancake with any hotel cook alive.

Superior mines.

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A head of a burnet killed by the out A workn's springs. Ob. Nellie Bly. Since you dared fly Around the globe so soon, we hear, Your rip secures. The earth as yours: Honceforth 'will be swoman's sphere.

But yet, you know, To vanquished foe You shou do ladylike and nice. The earth you've got, But yet you ought To give Muss Bisland quite a slice. —Ex.

-Cinderella found that a low menia sition led to a hymeneal one. -A young man has been fined \$25 for hugging a St. Louis girl, and if he was a Ohieseo young man, he probably will be lynched on his return home.

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-The poet says that "Tis love that makes the world go round." It sloomakes the young man "goround" and the requestly on Sunday sights.
-Here is a fairy-like tale all the way from Ohio. Some years ago a preity gill who was versed in palmistry looked upon the palm of Calvin S. Brice and said that within 10 years he would be a millionaire. Her rould ... "It is not the finest diamond ring I can get for \$1,000." Both prophery and promise were fulfilled.
-Mr. Green.-Miss Wobbash may I isks you under the matier with taking me undar the nose?
John Olsen got \$20,000 damages from a Daluth (Minn.) railway for a lost fod.
The company elsimed that he was a tramp stealing a ride.

ment with which Miss Anthony's name is so inseparably connected. Krup, the masker of big guns, has founded a fund of \$125,000 for the benefit of those of hit workings under with the borrow money at low rates for the purpose of build-ing homes for themselves. —Miss Besson Street-Have you read Max O'Bell's latest book ? Miss Wabsah Avenue-Ne, and I don't think I shall. I am sure I couldn't enjoy anything that an Irishman wrote after that horrible Cronin affair. Is the woman who goes to church to ex-hibits har sealakin sacque-religious.

familiar way in which you handled the three links. R. Conductor hight because he would not give him money. When Lauder saw the tramp draw the razor he knocked him down with a walking shick he was carrying. He then Beform Demanded.

" Is there any question more disagreeabl to you than " Where did you get that hat? " Well, I should hate like thunder to h asked where I got this umbrella.

Reform Demanded. Aunt Miranda-Wall, I never. These modern wijse be too much for me it dew seem that there is no liberty in this world arter all. Molie-What is it now, auntis ? "I was jast a reading, ohild, tha five American girls, all as hansum as picturs, were presented to the King of Sweden.

A Business Woman.

anoy prices.

The Illinois Steel Company will build its Milwaukee employees a club-house similar to the one at Joliet, Ill. The latter cost \$60,000, and contains a library and reading-room, an art-room, reception hall, gymna-sium, bowling alley, handball court, billiard and card-rooms, bath-rooms and an audi-torium.

WINE IS A MOCKER.

Wine is a mocker And strong drink is raging, But who cares for that When his thirst ho's assauging ?

"Tis only next day, When his temples are aching, He thinks what a fool Of himself he's been making. —About the only objection thus far to the new year is that it ends in naught.

-The oratario "Eli " is now under re-hearsal by the Philharmonic Society.

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A Strong Combine.
Earl—I see the typewriters are forming unions all over the country.
Wilson—Ladeed; I hadn't heard it.
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Jimson? She—Throw myself away on old She—Throw myself away 1 I guess you don's know be has a million and a bad once of heart disease. Call that throwing my-self away? That's what I call getting fanoy prices. Ing glow " in every man who beheld them. Ibsen's forchead is of abnormal height and development. Short sighted eyes of a moist, chill gray look out steadily, and to all appearance unobservantly, through gold-rimmed spectacles. Wm. Baylev. of Operation

gold-rimmed spectacles. Wm. Bayley, of Queen's avenue, East London, was choying his customary health on Friday afternoon, when about 3800 o'clock he was seized with an epileptic fits and succumbed in a very short time. Mr., Bayley has been a resident of London for twy two sets, and came fram Surrey, Eng-land where he was born. Arabilehon Fabra has instructed all the

Archbishop Fabre has instructed all the prists in his archdiocess to offer up special prayers to implore Divine Provi-dence to take away the scourge of the in-fluenza.

Mme. Carnot, wife of the French Pres-ident, made 400 poor children happy on Christmas Jay. Each received a savings-bank with a \$10 despoit.

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that onlone are a sure preserve. The best grippe and many other diseases. The best way to use them is to est them raw, for supper, with a sprinkle of salt along with bread and butter. Anywhere from one to two good sized once is auffoldent for a dose. The correspondent neglects to say what disinfectant he uses for his breath. Ofgerensker Kills his son-A frimesa Veteran's Denth-A frime and his Resor. It is sealed the Dake of Acsta begreathed to his three sons \$75,000,000.

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issue of all bank bills by the Dominion Government. Mr. W. B. Wood, M. P.P., was again chosen by the Liberals of North Brant yes-terday to contest that coustituency at the Local elections. The Czar has declined to act as arbitrator between Holland and France in their dis-pute regarding the boundary between French Guiana and Dutch Guiana.

French Guiana and Dutch Guiana. Mr. Gladatone issued a whip to his fol-lowers yesterday, in which he indicated that questions of more than usual import-ance to Liberal interests will be discussed. Milton Clark, cheesemaker, formerly of Lyons, Out., died at 4.50 o'clock yesterday afternoon from injuries received on the Michigan Central Railway at Springfield. "Crack !" "Why, for the land's sake !" broke "Why, for the land's sake !" broke in the Parsons woman, "of that an's my yeast, six bottles of it, all fer Jane, and sousted, busted, busted. I was aftered all along that the ratie of the keers would get the stuff a workin'."—Drake's Magazine. Suits are being entered sgainst the Chicago & Northwestern Railway by grain bippers for alleged violations of the Inter-State Commerce Act and discrimina-

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friend's people. The services at the house were gone through with, and the pall-bearers took up their burden and bore is to the heares. The Beoretary went out with the others and took a seat in his own carriage, giving no directions. The driver naturally followed the others, and when the councery was reached is shuck him thas the place looked like Oakwoods, and he knew his friend's remains were to be buried as Waldheim. Being worried at this shought, he asked who was being buried, and recoiving in reply a name catirely unknown to him, he knew that something was wrong. He got into his carriage and was driven back to the house he started from. There he dis-covered is was not the right number, though the right street. Fluding the right num-ber, ho learned the funeral from that house had started a shorts time before he had appeared on the evens. He had made a missike all around ; he had got the wrong house and the wrong funeral, and the flowers his society had presented had been lefs with strangers. He could eay nothing; is was as ad mistake, and the faot that street within a block of each other, and that the one sought had gone bat a fow minutes before the one houng the affect he affect street within a block of each other, and that the one sought had gone bat a fow minutes before the one houng thad gone bat a fow minutes before the one houng the around. Ing a despersio again. The online was ratary hurt. The son of Walter Sheridan, the notori-our American orock, arrived in Montreal yeaserday from Baltimore to claim his father's body. It had been removed to the dissocting room of Leval College, but be-yond the usual injection no operation had been performed and it was not mutilated. He statted for Baltimore to-day with the remains in a offin and his late father's perconal effects, which he had procured from the jail authorities. A tramp threatened to assessinate G. T. B. Conductor Lauder, of Stratford, with a

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Saven Nubs of News from Auid Scotiand, Giasgow is to have a Highland Institute in addition to her Gaelio Society, Celtio Society and Highland Club. Mr. George Reid, R. S. A., (an Aber-donian) has presented the Senatus of Aber-doen University with portraits of the Duke of Richmond and Gordon, Chancellor of the University, and of Mr. Francis Ed-mond of, Kingswells, LL.D. The Western Highlands and Islands Commission of Inquiry has been appointed,

ane Western Highlands and Islands Commission of Inquiry has been appointed, and its members are Mr. Spencer H. Wal-pole, Chairman ; Mr. Wolfe Barry, O. E.; Commander Farquhar, R. N.; Sir James King, Sheriff McKechnie and Mr. Malcolm M'Neill.

two good sized ones is millionit for a dose. The correspondent neglects is any what disinfectants he uses for his breath. At a recent meeting of the Grand Lodge of Nebrasks, a rule was adopted which prohibits a salconkeeper from becoming a Masm or remaining in the order if he con-tinues in the business. The Knights of labor have a similar rule. Now if these societies will pass a law, boycotting the whiskey drinkers as well as the whiskey pullers if would show they were excrease temperance reformers. Whiskey selling is not svery great evil. It is the whiskey drinking that causes the mischief. The Philadelphis Record makes the statement this had is not been for the acci-dental presence of a dootor, an epileptic who had taken a fit on the suggestion is made that persons thus afflicted chould wear a sumit badge intimating that they are liable to such sttacks. But the habitmal drankard might shelter binned behind one of theor, and instead of being looked up, be taken to a drug store and treated booption draughts of liquori revive him. The very thing he most desired. Frankront, the capital of Kantucky, has a City Conncit which has exercised one of its obarter rights by passing amunicipal ordin nece abolutely prohibiting the sale of cigaroties in that city. We are told that Pope Urban VIII. once issued a buil of roommunication against smokers; James to the conce a very famous "conn-terblast to tobacco," and Marad IV. of tarkey made smoking a opital offence. The Frankrott i aldermen have only fol<sup>-1</sup> lowed in their ootsteps in doing as they have done. The oigarotte habits is aid to be fast undermining the health of young America.

King, Sheriff McKechnie and Mr. Malodim M'Neill. At Glasgow Town Council meeting on December 33rd Lord Provest Muir said he would subscribe £20,000 tos fund for build-ing an art gallery and museum in Glesgow provided three other citizers subscribed similar sums. He thought that with the surplus from Glasgow Exhibition £200,000 might readily be raised. Linlithgow Jubice Town Hall, which has been exected at a cost of £4,100, was on the 23rd ult. opened by Lord Rosebery. Provest Gilmour mainsted that all obliga-tions, with the exception of above £500, had been met. Lord Rosebery subscreantly delivered an address, in which he dealt with the importance of local institutions. At a meeting of the Cowgatchead Free Church, Edinburgh, on Dec. 23rd, under the Chairmanship of the Rev. Dr. Moir Porteous, the Rev. Professor Thomas Smith, who for twenty years had been minister of that church, was presented with an address, a silver Grecian vase and a manteplace mirror by the congregation ard friends, as memorials of the jubilee of bis ministry. The British War Office has decided to form an address of a subscreen the subscreen the rade. I is to be con posed of 5.000 men.

The British War Office has decided to form an additional Olyde Volunteer Bri-gade. It is to be coo posed of 5,000 men, drawn from the existing Clyde Brigade, which comprises 15,000 men, made up of the seventeen Volunteer battalions of Lan-erk, Ayr, Renfrew, Dumbarton and Argyll. The existing brigsde is intended for service only in the Clyde district, but the new brig ade will be of mobile character, and so may be used there or elsewhere.

A Lady's Chances of Marrying.

have done. The cigaretic habit is said to be fast undermining the health of young America. Our American friends may in time have a navy which will be numercous and strong enough to try conclusions with some of the great maritime powers in Europe, but they have quite a lot of ships to build before they can reach anything like the strength necessary for such an attempt. We see that the effective force of their navy, when all the ships now authorized are completed, excluding those which, by the process of decay and the operation of faw will by that date have been condemned, will comprise 11 armored vessels, of which only 3 are battle ships, and 31 unarmored vessels, making a total of 42. The follow-ing statement shows the number of war vess-ls on the effective list of the principal foreign powers, built, building or pro-jected, at the present time, and exclusive of sailing and practice ships: Conntry. Armored. Unarmored. Tota A Lady's Chances of Marrying. Every woman has a chance of "catching husband," but it is conceded that young ladies between twenty and twenty-five years of age are more likely to draw the matrimonist prizes. However it is not an unusul thing to hear of the marriage of a ady who has passed the three quarter cen-tury mark. Yet, how can a woman, weak, dispirited, enervated and tormented by diseases common to ber sex, hope to become a happy wife and mother ? Of course she cannot, yet by the mai; is aid of Dr. Pierce's, Favorite Proscription, all these obstacles wrs swept away. As a powerful, invigorat-ing tonic, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription tonparts strength to the whole system, and to the womb and its appendages, in par-tionlar. For overworked, "worn-ont," "run-down," debilitated teachers, mill-ers, dressmakers, seamstreases, "shop-Armored. Unarmored. To Germany 40 e5 106
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 Holiand 40 194 "run-down," debilitated teachers, multi-bers, dreasmakers, seamstreases, "shop-girls," housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, it is the greakest earthly boon, being unequaled as an ap-petizing cordial and restorative tonio.

## The Penalty of Pride.

He - And so yon're really going to marry hat Professor? You, the heroine of s housand engagements! How did you even

He - And as you're really gold to marry that Frofessor? You, the hereine of a thousand en agemental. How did you ever come to accept him ?
 His Cousin (from Boston)--Why, you see, he proposed in Greek, and when I refosed him I got mixed on my negatives, and and--Mohercule! accepted him; and now I Pen too prad to acknowledge my blunder.
 Oh, I'm bis for life!

The Complications of Modern Society. Clara—I thought you had decided that for over an hour thinking of him. Mand (dejectedly)—Well, I can't make up my mind whether is would be better to such him. marry, and there sue for divorce and alimony. He was Full Already. Show\_Text think I Congin Fritz while

New Comparison

er with your M.Ginty? ... De Bappy (mystifics) - My what? De Digge-Your instable; it's down, 'eu know.-Pittsburg Chronicle.

Do Not Think for a Moment

He Was Full Already. She—Just think ! Consin Fritz while soming home from his club last night fell into the water. He—Great heavens ! I hope he didn't frown!' She—He couldn't drown. He was so full to couldn't swallow any water.—Texas

couldn't swallow ings. A Star Chamber Session. Lo Diges-Hel'o, Sappy, what's the mat-

Landlady-Jane, has Mrz Second Floor Jane-Yis, mom-Landlady-And is the o closed lead

January-Industries? Jane-Yis, mom. Landlady-Ihen you may thut the kitoben windows and pound the steak for dinner. That Catarrh will in time wear out. The

It was a Ulear Case.

Boarding Mistress (after watching a boarder eat three sausages with great celerity)—You must be an Oid-Fellow, sir? Bearder—You've guessed it; but how

That Catarrh will in time wear out. The theory is false. Mon try to believe it because it would be pleasant if wroe, but it is not, as all know. Do not let an acute attack of cold in the head, remain unsub-dued. It is lishle to develop into catarrh. You can rid yourself of the cold and avoid all chance of catarrh by nesing Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. It allcrady afflicted rid yourself of this troublecome discusses speedily by the same means. At all drougains.

Dirt, Debt and the Devil.

b) control if an between Henry Desters and Tom, I rather think, if I were a woman-However, I oughs not is say that in the some However, I oughs not is say that it has however. I oughs not is say that it has been statisfication to fluid that out o scoon, and by you. All right. I shall bother with the statisfies onto the field. The fact is sore satisfication to fluid that out o scoon, and by you. All right. I shall bother with the statisfies onto the distance from the selected by the Matcholists for this purpose this proposed on the distance from the distance for this purpose that the selected by the Matcholists for this purpose the the first settlement of that were may form the solution. Here the level hand on three sides with the solution the selected by the Matcholists for this purpose that a few rode's distance in the distance for the distance of the distance in the distance for the distance in the distance

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or no nutritive properties; they are simply uild simulanis. With the addition of vegetables, bread or boiled rice, however, they become valuable foods. During the opring months, after living all winter on meats and stale vegetables, the system meeds a radical chauge of dist. At this season one should est fresh fruits and suc-ulent vegetables for their effect on the other is, thubarb, lestuce, radiakes, greus of varions kinds, including dandelion, are all valuable. Good healsn is worth outif vating, even as the expense of a little time and a measure of self-restraint. If men sand a measure of self-restraint. If men would sets a watch upon their lips, they would sets often have to sand for the doord. *Youth's Companion.* The following is taken from the last becoher, a short time previous to his bet death: "I rejoice to asy 1 was brought up from my youth to ab-be brought up from my youth to ab-t is is fliby from beginning to end. I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day will come, when a I believe that the day lace in his side for mines.

Last Words to Young Men. The following is taken from the last article written by the late Henry Ward Beecher, a short time previous to his death: "I rejoice to asy I was brought up from my youth to ab-stain from tobacco. It is unhealthy, it is fithy from beginning to end. I believe that the day will come, when a young man will be proud of not being ad-dicted to the use of stimulants of any kind. I believe that the day will come when not to drink, not to use tobaco, not to use one's strength in the secret indugence of passion, out to be sture to one's nature, true to God's isw, to be sound, robust, cheerful, and to be conscious that these elements of Boath and betrength are derived from the reverent obedience to the commandments of God, will be a matter of ambition and endexor a mong

obedience to the commandments of God, will be a matter of ambition and endeavor among

### The Nicaragua Canal.

The Nicaragna Canal. The Nicaragna Canal will be 170 miles long from ocean to ocean. There will be 16 miles of excavation on the east side, 112 miles on the wees, 2 miles for eix locks, making a total of 28 miles. Free naviga-tion will be had in the San Jana river for 644 miles, and in Lake Nicaragna for 564 miles. There will be space for vessis to pass each other in opposite directions in all parts except in the rock cuttings. The time of the passage is estimated at twenty cight houre.

-Sessickness and defeat on the diamon are frequently wild pitching.

"Where are you going, my pretty maid?" "I'm going to sneeze-atchoo," she said. -Nature's tendency is to restore the palance; as a man get's "short" his face get's long.

t's long. HE DOES INDEED. "To Sunday school, to Sunday school," The i tie urchin aings. There's sconceithing in the seavon's trill That seems to give him wings. He loves the little cushioned pew, The teacher, soo, loves he, And very much be loves the fruit Upon the Xuasstree. "W My deav " mbieneed

Upon the Xuasstree. —"My dear," whispered a man to hi wile as they seated themselves at the theatre, "I left my pocketbook at home. "Haven't yon any money at all?" "Ooly forty centa." "Won't that b enough?" "Enough !"he repeated im patiently. "It's a five act play." A nyuge romas.

A RIVER TO CROSS. (Josephine Pollard in Christian at Work.)

There's always a river to cross; Always an effort to make If there's any thing good to win, Any rich prize to take. Xonder's the furliwe crave, Yonder's the charming scene;

Yonder's the charming scen But deep and wide with a tron Is the river that lies between Gen. Lew. Wallace's favorite novel is said to be "Ivanhoe." It is the favorite to be "Ivanhoe." It is the favorite novel of a great many other people in this

ainutes before the one he found, was his R. Conduc

Superior mines. -

A Partial Convert.

A to a bular kind by she or A woman's sphere. Ob, Nellie Bly, Since you dared fly und the globe so soon, we hear, Your rip secures The earth as yours; accorth 'twill be a woman's sphere.

A tramp threatened to assessinate G. T. R. Conductor Lauder, of Biratford, with a frazor last night because he would not give him money. When Lauder saw the tramp to harge. This moning he gave his name to the resor he knocked him down with a walking-suck he was carrying. He then to charge. This morning he gave his name as William Seymour, and lokimed to be a brother of. Phrenologist Seymour, of Toronto, who, he said, lectures cocasion-ally in Shatteebury Hall. He was sent to jil on remand to admit of an inquiry into his history.

## Speak Gently.

"I think," said the pastor who was visit-ng a pariahioner, "that it is easier to coax bildren than to drive them. Gentle words re more effective than hareh ones. You now what the post says :

Speak gently; it is batter far To rule by love than fear.

"Yes, indeed," said the lady. Then she bouted out of the window to her little

boy : "Johnnie, if you don't come in out o that mud hole I'll break your back !"

## She Dreamed It.

Miss Eyeqlasse, of Boston-I should think, Mr. Westwylde, that life so close to nature's heart-out on the great plains, face to face with the splendors of sun, mon and stars, the sweep of the winds, the majesty of the wide prairie-would tend to make one a Pantheist. Is it not so? He (about to ask for a kiss)-I have an and card-rooms, bath-rooms and an audi mportant question to ask you. She (playfully)—I know what it is, George. You want me to be your wife. torium.

She (pisytuity) is not be your wife. Well, take me. He (rather taken aback)—This is some-what sudden, isn's it 7 Bhe (tenderly)—I don't know, Gorgo, whether it is sudden for you or not, but I have waited for it three years. Mr. Westwylde-Well-yes-at least partly. There an't much fancy cookin' a cowboy can manage but

cowboy can manage, but some of us ca flip a pancake with any hotel cook alive. In the Parlor. Young Man (with a glance at Johnny)---I see the Rev. John Jasper is mistaken, Miss Bylo. The son does not move. Young Lady (coldy)--He moves, Mr. Pipsley, when the right Joshus comes slong. Life in Chicago. The San Francisco Brewers' Union ha \$4,000. The G. A. R. Post at Lawrenceburg, Ind., has been given a powder horn that was once the property of the great Indian Chief, Tccumsch. The horn was cut from the head of a buffalo killed by the objef.

Honcetotti veri be a volume service But yet, you know, To vanquihed foe You about a be ladylike and nice. The earth you've got, But yet you ought To give Muss Bialaud quite a slice. -Ex. Excavating for the foundation of the new Brooklyn Tabernacle for Dr. Talmage has been begun, and the walls will scon be started. It is expected to have them far concipt advanced for the laying of the Miss Anthony, the famons workson to the fa -Cinderella found that a low menia position led to a hymeneal one. -A young man has been fined \$25 for hugging a St. Louis girl, and it he was a Chicago young man, he probably will be lynched on his return forme.

Chiesdo Johnis return forme.
—The poet says that "Tis love that makes the world go round." It is love that the young man "go round." Julie I requestly on Sunday nights.
—Here is a fairy-like tale all the way from Ohio. Some years ago a pretty girl who was versed in palmisty looked upon the palm of Calvin B. Brice and exid that within 10 years he would be a millionaire. He replied, "If I and, "I wand you the facest diamond ring I can get for \$1,000."
Both prophecy and promise were fulfilled.
—Mr. Green-Miss Wobbash may I

-Mr. Green-Miss Wobbash may I take you under the mistletoe? Miss Wob-bash- What the matter with faking me

under the nose ?

Not Rightfully His Own. " Is there any question more disagreet to you than " Where did you get that ha " Well, I should hate like thunder to asked where I got this umbrelia."

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< Earl Spencer's library, at Alth

Mme. Carnot, wife of the French Pres ident, made 400 poor children happy on Christmas Day. Each received a savings-bank with a \$10 despoit.

Tis only not day. "Tis only not day. We can bis temples are aching, He thinks what a fool Of himself he's been making. —About the only objection thus far to the new year is that it is rule in naught. —The orstario "Eli" is now under re-hearsal by the Philharmonic Bociety. —Tears are more eleganent than words bank with a \$10 deepolt. Bih Hulose, a lieutenant during the war under Quantrell, the notorious guerilla, died near Independence, Mo., on Starday. Though a desperate character during the war, his conduct since has always been that of a peaceful, hard-working citizen. The lieurence of the stard start of the start of

The four libraries of the New York Free The four Horstes of the New York Theo Circulating L brary now contain 50,000 volumes, the interprise being eleven years old. The circulation last year was over 420,000 volumes, an increase over 1888 of more than 100,000.

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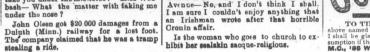
THE COOK'S BEST FRIEND

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SURELY

TO THE EDITOR :- Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for o any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their Express and Post Once Ad M.C., 186 West Adelaide St., TORONTO, ONTARIO



-Tears are more elequent than words ; that's wby a woman keeps hers on tap. Pipaley, when the right Joanna comes along. Life in Chicago. Robber (presenting revolver)—Hands up, gentlemen! Ministic (cocharicalle) Bless ron wr

Minister (mechanically)-Bless you, my ohildren. A Strong Comblue. Earl-I see the typewriters are forming moins all over the country. Wilson-Indeed: I hadn's heard it. Trades unions? Earl-No; matrimonial. A Strong Combletely developed. Durenstano, Australia, lays claim to the greatest and richest gold mice in the world. Qurenstano, Australia, lays claim to the greatest and richest gold mice in the world. Qurenstano, Australia, lays claim to the greatest and richest gold mice in the world. Durenstano, Australia, lays claim to the greatest and richest gold mice in the world. This called Mt. Morgan, and will this year pay to its ownew rot less than 86.000,00, with the promise of a great increase when more completely developed. The gold ob-tained from it assays 99 Apure, at st which is believed to be without its parallel. The

WINE IS A MOCKER.

Wine is a mocker And strong drink is raging, But who cares for that When his thirst he's assauging ?

room, an art room, reception hall, gymna-sium, bowling alley, handball court, billiard

and where he was born. Archbishop Fabre has instructed all the prices in his archdiocess to offer up append the second offer up appendix of the front-dence to take away the scourge of the in-fluenza.

## NATURAL GAS EXPLOSION.

he signed obeques on the bank, and that the amounts were afterwards put in and the obeques paid. His bank book for the Portage la Proirie Bank and also the one for the Winnipeg bunk at which be is in the habit of doing business, are both miss-ing and have not yet been found. The case will be pushed.

FURT RESIDENTS

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A BURNING GAS WELL

Other wells are going strikes are expected. S being done to get control of to-day, as nobody knows

No Rehate.

est People Indulge in a Grand Pyro technic Display of Their Own.

Leonne Jappung of Thear own. A Forces despatch of Tuesday says: For some months past several residents of Forces have been heating and lighting their houses with natural gas, obstinded from wells. A few days ago George M. Van-valkenburg becan boring for gas on his previses. When the men qui work last night the hole was down about one hundred feet. Bhorthy after commencing work this morning indications of gas were apparent. A match was applied, and instantly a sheet of flame burst twenty feet into the air. bim 107 years. We respect the sound, admire his many excellent qualities. In all the relations of life he is an upright and olever gentleman, and as such is entitled to fair and honorable treatment at the hands of his contemporaries — Elmira Advertiser. This only shows that each man has his of flame burst wenty feet into the sit. This continued for some minutes, when a terrific explosion occurred, throwing stones, garth, and water a bun-dred feet high and redoubling the volume of flame. All efforts to suppress the fire were futile, and the derick burned down. All day long that eight-inch hole has been voniting forth with a continual roar millicon of gailons of water and mil-lions of feet of gas, with no eight of qui-ting. During the afternoon the heat become so intense that she erowds eur-rounding the well had to fall back, and the fre department are ready to go out at a moment's warning, as adjacent buildings are in danger. The sight boult had holding are in danger. The sight boult in the roat tapped an old well put fown some years ago, and obtained a supply of gas sufficient to drive the town's elevirolight is achinery. Other wells are going down, and more strike as expended 50 far wohing is This only shows that each man has his own idea of whas constitutes an henorable and upright gestleman. The Mr. Callicot referred to, editor of the Albany Times; and recently chosen friend of Governor Hill, was at one period of his career in the Peal-tentiary for betraying a public trast. Our Elimira contemporary doem's seem to mind a little thing like that, and regards the orime for which Mr. Callicot was thus punished as entirely consistent with up-rightcess It is odd that opinions, aboutd differ on a subject like that, but they do.-New York Herald. ned for Genuine Frankness.

burn three or four hours. You can buy some as low as 50 cents, in amber or inr-quoise tint, but if the shade is real lace, the mounting genuine brass and the glass pure Bohemian ware, there will be nothing left of \$15 for fragment coins too insignificant for reactoning.

What is a Gentler We know Mr. Callicot, and have known

No soldier in your an proceeded, Bid helf as you as adlant hand L. C. S.

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In the first and foremost flight, hs, ha! You always found that knight, hs, ha! Thut o-lobrated,

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Ministure Lamps. Some of the small isops designed for writing tables are a test of the attistic shift and ingenuity required in this line of decorative art, ways the New York World. Whether a lady use scaling were of not, a pair of candles or a vestal lamp is consid-ered as much of a necessity as a leiter rack or an ink oup. Candle-sticks are seen in fine porcelsin, old ohina, solid silver and carved bronze, with candles and shades to smit the fancy of the owner. They may have been purchased or handed down from an old aunt, but they are sure to be beanti-ful. The ministure lamp, with a body of opai or Bohemian glass, mounted on sarved brass, provided with burner, wich, globe and lace shade, is never and quite the pretites crassmon on the table. These, little lamps, if turned low, can be made for some as low as 50 cents, in amber or tur-quoint in, but it was and the glass pro-

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but luckily for him, the fragments were interval appoint appo

### SOUTHERN RIOTS.

## Thirty-five Arrests and the Military Sleep

ing on their Arms.

Thirty-fire Arrests and the Military Sleep-ing on their Arms. An Aplachicola, Flä., deepatch of Thurs-day night says: The Escambia Rifles ar-rived last hight, 37 strong. Guards were posted throughout the town, and every white man not on duty slept with arms within reach a Thirty five ringlesders of the Negro strikers were arrested to-day, but the obief one. Banchez V. Thomas, can-not be found. One negro was shot to-day while field with the trial of some prisoners commenced this afternoon Intense excittment prevails among both whites and blacks. The negro women are violent in denunciation of the action of the whites and re thronging the streets. The oligane are worn out with fatigue. It is generally believed the arrest of the ring-leaders will have a quieting effect, but some thick the negroes will attempt to make farther trouble to night to make are well pre pared, and this fact it is hoped will restrain the negroes.

### Colbrating Influenza Bacilli.

A Vienna cable of Friday says: On a A Vienna cable of Friday says: On a strict bonillon diet the influenza bacilli are thriving wonderfully. Dr. Joeles stated to your correspondent this afternoon shat his pure culture colonics of exolasive influenza bacteria had been obtained by the usual method of eliminating alien bacteria taught and practised by Professor Koch. Dottor Joeles to day incollated twenty tick he means of entoprotaneous injections mice by means of subcutaneous injections with the attenuated virus, and awaits with anxiety the result.

## Important to Journalists.

New reporter-I say, Mr. Editor, I'd like New reporter - 1 way, to know-Editor--What would you like to know? "A prominent ditizen has broken his neck on a toboggan alide." " Well, what of it?" " I'm puzzled to know whether the item comes under the head of 'Sporting News' or 'Society Goesip."

### A Texas Lothario.

Miss Esmerelda Longcoffin-Hostetter McGinnis, it is outrageous the way you

freat me. Hostetter McGinnis-What's up now,

Esmerelda? "You are engaged to me, but you flirt with Birdie MoHenipin." "Be coalm, Esmerelda, be calm. I'm going to go back on that other girl, too."

Garome, the senlptor, is about to imitate Gibbon's experiment of "The Tinted Yenne." As his studio in the Boulevard day Batignolles he has just finished a Agure in colors called "Tanagra," repre-senting a young woman of Tanagra in Botis.

Bostis. — It is a pity that old winter cannot assert his away without interformoe from Jupiter Plavins. The propect of sleighing has for the nonce been rained by the rain. Those who brought out "their ronners are longing" for froet and a sprinkling of the beautiful, which would make the eighting all right. It does look as if the prophets who prediced an open winter would score -A prudent man is like a pin ; his head prevents him going foo far ied an oper

NELLIE BLY'S ABRIVAL. The Girl Who Makes a Round-the-World Trip Record.

owds.

To Discourage Boodling.

of the lady being there without a home and that such a two little children, 5 and 3 years old. He went and had a nice little talk on Studay, proposed marriage on Monday, was accepted, and the wedding took place on Tuesday. The correspondent who furnishes these particulare claims that the widow has not made a mistake, even if is was a hesty action, for the young man in question is sober, respected and industrious. At last accounts Mr. Ibbot-son, the party of the first part, was on his way to Bruce Mines to meet another lady who had taken preliminary types towards matrimony in response to the Simon pure description this Canada Winers can outstrip any country on earth if a proper start is made. In this case, at least, one man's anxiety and advertisement for home comforts hashorught a wilow and hr helplees children to a good home, has given a young single man a family to start with, and as far as can be learned a happy one at that; and last, but not least, has enjoing in a fair way to attaining the enjoint of his endeavors. — London Advertiser. The GIT1 WEO MARGES & ROUND-the-World Trip Record. A Saturday night's despatch from New York says: The official time, as announced by the World's timers for the arrival of Nellie Bly, was 3 51 o'clock, thus making her complete trip around the world in 72 days 6 hours and 11 minutes. There was the strongest entbusiasm on her arrival. She was driven directly to the World diffice, in front of which more that 5,000 persons had congregated. The carriages moved brickly from the depot, but despite this they were accompanied by a shouting, seething mob of people. In ten minutes there were fully 10 000 people in Park Row cheering and waving handkerbhiefs and stopping the immense traffic of that thoroughfare. The scenes as the Pennsyl-vania Railroad depot, at the ferry and in the streets, thence to the World office, were of like description Yery few persons have received so fastering a popular welcome'in New York as Nellie Bly this day. It being a semi-holiday, and the arrival of the little lady tolerably certain, probably added to the enhusiasm good nature and size of the crowds.

best of his endeavors.—London Advertiser. Henry George off to Australia. Mr. Henry George left New York for San Francisco on Wedneadea, He will seil from San Francisco on Feb. 7th for Australia, stopping in New Zealand to deliver a few lectures, and then making a speaking tour in behalf of free trade throughout the colony of New South Wales, where he goes as guest of the liberal and free-trade party in power in that colony. A dinner was given to Mr. George as the Motropolitan Hotel, New York, on the eve of his depar-ture. Though the dinner was under the ampices of the Manhattan Single-Tax. Club is was not a single tax demonstration. Men of varying views, who appreciate the work that Mr. George has done in arousing the public attention to social problems and the subject of taxation participated. To Discourage Boodling. Washington despatch says: The proposed new Extradition Treaty between the United Siates and Great Britsin is very well received by the Ropublican Senatora, and the probability is that it will be rati-fied. It differs from the treaty negotiated by Scoretary Bayard in that it does not make provision for the extradition of what are known as politoical oriminals. It deals could be to the the standard to form a supplement to Article 10 of the Ashburtom Treaty. The instruments is not retrosoitve, so that the "boodlers" in Canada who are fugitives from justice in the United States will be undisturbed.

the subject of taxaiton participated. A Disastrous Blast, A Leadville, Col., deepstch of Sunday says: Yosterday after the men emgsed in a drift of the La Plata mine had fired a round of holes they were astonished by hearing a noise like the rushing of a mighty river. When the smoke cleared away they saw a river running out of the drift. They barely had time to escape, and in less than five hours the mine was flooded to within 270 feet of the surface. Four thousand feet of the drift ore is sub-merged, and thousands of feet of aloges overed. Many think a lake has burst through its barrier. If it proves to be a pocket of water very valuable mineral will be found behind it, as that has been the rule Heretofore. will be undisturbed. Mertis of a Fertilizer. A St. Catharines despatch says: It is said that on account of some trouble between the Dominion Fertilizer Com-pany, of Hamilton, and a number of farmers in Louth, on which a lawauit regarding the merits of the article is pend-ing, the Government has ordered Mr. Gor-don, of Toronto, to investigate some obarges made against an officer of the Inland Revenue in this city having relevence to analyses of diff-rent fertilizers, as required by an Act of Parliaments procured by Dr. Ferguson, M.P. for Welland, a few years

by an Act of Parliament procured by D. Ferguson, M.P. for Welland, a few year ago. The investigation will take place i this city on Wednesday.

## An Agent for Good.

Tais city on Wednesday.
—"Farewell, dearest," she sighed, as she lay against the lapel of his double-breasted coat; " and George, you may kiss me once, on my forehead, ere you go."
"Thanks, Angelias," thoughtally "marmured the young man, " but the last tide likesed its girl on her forehead. I got a bang in the mouth." A moment later he left the house, looking as if he had been eating marahmallows.
My son, don't advertise your griefs. If you have crocked lege do not wear striped particloss. "The prevailing malady has a tendency make a man religious." How so ? It brings him to his sneeze."

## An Incontive.

" Have you really signed as pitcher on he nue?" she asked, breathlessly. "I have, " he answered. "Then I am ewere." she replied.-Puck

The Buffalo newspapers have advanced her price to wholesale dealers and news pantaloons. Paganin's favorite violin-a Guarmerins del Geau of 1783-is preserved ün a glass case in the municipal palace of Genos, his birthplace. He bequesthed it to the city on condition that it never should be used. the price to wholesale dealers and news-boys. The San Francisco Eicht-hour League represente 8,000 workers in the building irades (carpenters, planterers, plumbers, gashters, etc). They have notified the bosses that eight hours shall constitute a day after May 1st.

"Oh, yes; but don't you wait for me You have more time than I, you know

To have note and that i, you have, "What I have more time than you My dare to ild, I'm fairly rushed to death all the time." "So am I." "I really don't see where the time goes, Good-by. dear."-"Good-by." "I you don't some and see me soon 1'll -oh! where did you get that lovely chair sear?? I hadn't noticed it before. It's a perfect beauty!"

scarf ? I hadn's noticed it Defore. It's a perfect bearty !" " I to you really like it ?" " Like it ? It's just sweet ! Di you ambroider it ?" !! Yes." You did ? How lovely ! I wish I-but You did ? How lovely ! I wish I-but and I've five other calls to make this atter-noon. Good by !" " Bye.by."

and ive two oner calls so make an area: noon. Good-by !" "Bye-by." "Lovely day, isn't it ? It's a pleasure to be out, and—Oh, my dear, if I didn's nearly forget to tell you about Maida de Vere's wedding, and thate' just what I come for. I must sit down and tell you all about is." Two hours later she departs, after a pro-longation of the good-by business for filtern minutes on the steps.—Time.

## A Woman With a History,

A Woman With a History. A woman with a romanilo career has been arrested in Toledo, charged with forgery. She gees under the name of Madame De Vere, but the Woodstock Senti-rel. Revice says she is a native of that town and at one time went under the name of Miss Bigley. It gives the follow-ing bit of her alleged history : "Some of the old G. T. R. trainmen remember Miss Bigley quies well; when Mr. Bigley re-sided near Eastwood the trains stopping at the Governor's Road a forded the train-men an opportunity of meeting har. Many of them, including engineers, brakemen and conductors, had their heads turned by her subtle influence. One man, an engi-neer of the read, who as the time had a family in Hamilton, became so involved with her shat he lost his situation in conse-quence of certain substantial evidence of iheir intimacy. It is said that Miss Bigley or Madame De Vere has since denied that the child was hers." the child was hers."

The Boy was Right. Teacher-Now, children, by what is the earth divided? Tommy (whose father is a kicker)-By the politicians.

# the politicians. 4 A Parifig Tob, Feformer (to iconvict)=My dear friend, why did you break into that bank? Convict-Cause there was money in it.

Marriage a Failure. Kate-And is it true that you marrie

for money ? 'Lura-Yes, but paps has succeeded in borrowing only two thousand from Oharli so fat.

so fat. - Employer-Marfied ? Applicant -Yeik but it want's my fault. In free trade England printers syerage \$10 a week in wages ; in "inrotented" Ger-many they average \$4 60 a week. In free trade England the city isborer, nots atilled workman, sverages \$4 a week; in "pro-tected" France, \$1.35; in "protected." Germany, \$1.

Rules for Skaters.

udge.

A Brakeman Killed. A Brakeman Killed. A Siratford despatch says: The project-ing piece of timber has taken another violim. Christopher Q. Farmer, a brake-man, aged 24 years and 5 months, maried, was working in the Grand Trunk Railway ands on Saturday night. He was fixing a ocoupling pin when a timber loaded car was shunted up A stick of the timber that was projecting struck him on the head, causing tatal injuries. He then fell and the car wheels cruched his body horribly. An inquest will be held to morrow evening. He came from Sarnis. A projecting piece of timber killed Thomas Fleming, a Strat-ford brakeman, a year or se say, after he bad been a law mouths married, within a car length of where Farmer fell. James Carges, a yardaman, was killed by a project-ing rail. Where Convicts are not Pampered.

For the relief of Samuel May, Mr. Deni-on. Mr. Bergeron moved that the time for receiving petitions for private Bills be ex-lended to February 11, and the time for introducing Bills be extended to February 18. Carried. Mr. Joatigan, in answer to Mr. Bmall, eaid that she Government were considering the Inland Revence Act, with a view to making amendments in the interest of the tobacco trade, it is could be dene without prejudice to revenue. Mr. Garing, in reply to Mr. Jones, said that the Agricultural Department had received no information as to any special cattle disease in the Western States were anbjected, was a sufficient protection against any epidemic.

which ostile from the version against subjected, was a sufficient proteotion against any epidemic. Mr. Wood (Westmoreland) moved for returns showing the quantity of fresh beef imported into Canada from the United State during the facel year ended Dec. Sist, 1899. He pointed out that it was impossible to gather from the trade and navigation returns the fresh beef imported, as no distinction, was made between it and the other kinds. Importations of fresh beef into the Marijime Province had af late yeare been largely on the increase. It was the duty of the Government to take seme stops to protect Cansdian interests, and he believed that the tatiff should be made induced. Mr. Bowell said the Government had no power to obtain the information asked by the member, as no separate statistics had been forwarded as to the importation of fresh beef. The motion was withdrawn. <u>Exceptor Staters.</u> A Louisville, Ky., despatch of Sunday says: In the legislative investigation of the management of the peritentiary by the lessces, two witnesses, both convicts whose terms had expired, testified yesterday as the tractment of convints in railroad

lesses, two witnesses, both convicts whose terms had expired, testified yestenday as to the treatment of couvies in railroad camps. They said their quarters swarmed with vermin, their food was often spolled meat and bread, and they were inhumanly beaten when unable to perform the testife given. One said he had been compelled to work when he was sick till he fainted and fell to the ground. Then the ofther best him with a pole to make him rise.

## Dry and Thirsty.

Chapman—There is really a great dea of dry humor in this play, Fibson. Fibson—Yes, the manager won't let his nomedians go out between the acts.

It Never Fails.

"A cold snap will come along to night." "How do you know?" "Becauss I am just going to have my nair out."

## Or Boiled.

"How do you like those cigars of mine Jimpkins," inquired Timpkins, essually. "I don't know, eld man,' replied Jimp kins, donbtfully, "they might be goo fried." day in the week, Debtor-Well, what day could you come

The Rights of Labor Must be Respe

Rules for Skaters. Ice an eighth of an inch thick isn't ice any longer when you try to skate on it. Home men dance well and some can never learn—that's the way with skating. It looks much better when outting fanoy figures on the ice to use your feet rather than your head. Never give your sweetheart a pair of skates for Christmar if your riv skates etter than you; it is not wise. In taking out soci tent innurmee policies slways state whether you know how to skate or are shout to learn. If you are skating with a girl and both of you fall it is more police to let your part-ner fail on you than to do the twards. Cierk-I want an increase of marry. Employer (wearly)-all right. Anything ele? Cierk-And I want to get off an hear earlier every day so I can spend it.-Puck.

Apything Cheap Enough.

Grocer-That new customer of yours is just married ? Delivery Clerk-Yes. Grocer-Don's be particular about selling at close figures; they won't hick on prices while the honeymoon lasts.

ooqt selli won's hiek on prio Ooqtaa's Doop gaor. "My Queen !" said Algornon, rapin-rously, just after his marriage to his type-"My Diotator !" replied the estiling closer.

A Hungarian woman at Soranton beat with a soap ladle the pliceman who was arcesting har husband and hurb him badly. —It is an unfeeling married man who declares that his wife is always pansive when ahe is not expensive.

Joseph H. Graig, of Kentucky, who weighs 600 pounds, claims to be the heaviest Odd.Fellow who ever got sately through the shird digree, and he carries a gold medal to commersie his feat.

Indiana farmers are organized, and deal with one store, allowing the owner 10 per cent. profit.

"Miss Gladys," said old Mozaybags, "If my suis is not agreeable to you say so frankly, but do not, I hag of you, tell me that old, old story that you will always look upon me as a brokher." "Sir," roplied the lovely young maiden

upon me as a brokher." "Bir," raplied the lovely young maiden as her eye its up with the deathless flame of a pure young heart's devotion, or, as another puis it, with the sincerity of a smile on the hip, but a tear in the eye, " I do not love you well enough for a brokher, but I have no objection to take you as a husband."

Satisfactory.

She-You are very kind to havie me to go sleighig, but-did your here over run away ? He-Otten. You ase Iam careless about horses, and often drive with my feet. She-I'll go.-New York Weekly.

No Rebets. We desire to state in the most explicit manner that no rebate will be allowed to any of our subsoribers who may be obliged to isave town for the benefit of the community, or who may be hung and buried for the same reason. In several late instances friends of such subscribers have called on us and asked us to cash up for the unexpired term, but we have invariably refused. Sub-scriptions to the Kicker run for one year. We contract to deliver the paper for that time. If the subscriber is arrested, driven off or hung it is no fault of ours. Please bear this in mind, and says yaurselves trouble.-Arizons Kicker. Collector-When are you going to pay this bill 7 I can't be coming here every day in the week. -Wife-What are you so busy at? Young Physician-I am writing a letter to the nowspapers, abusing Dr. Blank, the great scientist. "But Dr. Blank has never done you any harm, and yes agreed with his theories." "True; but it is against nis theories." "True; but it is the rale for physicians to advantias must get myself before the public how." and ]

The North American Review paid in and Mr. Gladstone cash \$1,900

"What is an agnostic?" asked Rollo who was reading something by Huxley As only on the set of Albany. A statue of the Duke has been on onapel by the coulptor Pignosel of Queen Victoria, and the Prin will unveil it as his next visit to ing place. who was reading something by Huxley. "An agnostic," replied his Uncle Genge, "is a man who, fouldly declares link he hoose nohing, and gets mad and abuses you if you believe hin. Hy says he docen't more arresthing, but he really believes he hoose accessible. ing plu

-A contented spirit do

N. J., all members of the American Society of Civil Engineers. The time for sending in easays is limited to March 1, 1890. In the window of a shoe store on Broad-way is the penoiled measurement of the feet of Abraham Lincoln, each sole being equal in length to a pair of ordinary numfeet of Abraham Lancoin; each sole bein equal in length to a pair of ordinary num ber twolves, and wide in proportion. A bill to increase the day's hours of labo and one to refince them have been intre duced in the Massachusette Legislature.

he articles that appear in the current umber, which is at the rate of \$120 s page

DEDICATED TO THE DEFEATED.

on, conveniently ? "I could call on Baturday." " All right; from now on I shall expect you every Saturday." -Nothing but the frames of many good resolutions remain to day. -The Engineering and Building Record of New York offers prizes amounting to \$150 for easily on Making and Maintaining Roads. The amount is divided into three parts, and the Committee of Award are E. P. North of New York, F. Collingwood of Elizabeth, N.J., and J. Owen of Montelais, N. J. all members of the American Society

