SERMON.

this luminary of the planetary system, and the waters go hissing down amid the ravines and the caverns, and there is explosion after explosion until there are only a few peaks of fire left in the sun, and these are cooling down and going out until the vast continents of flame are reduced to a small acreage of fire, and that whitens and cools off until there are only a few coals left, and these are whitening and going out until there is not a spark left in all the mountains of ashes and the valleys of ashes and the chasms of ashes. An extinguished sun. A dead sun. A buried An extinguished sun. A dead sun. A buried sun. Let all worlds wail at the stupendous

obsequies.

Of course this withdrawal of the solar heat and light throws our earth into a universal chill, and the tropics become the temperate and the temperate becomes the Arctic, and there are frozen rivers and frozen lakes and frozen oceans. From Arctic and Antarctic regions the inhabitants gather in toward the center and find the equator as the poles. The slain forests are piled up into a great bonfire, and around them gather the shivering villages and cities. The wealth of the coal mines is hastily poured into the furnaces and stirred into rage of combustion, but soon the bonfires begin to lower and the furnaces begin to go out and the nations begin to die. Cotopaxi, Vesuvius, Etna, Stromboli, Cali-fornian geysers cease to smoke, and the ice of hail storms remains unmelted in their craters. All the flowers have breathed their last breath. Ships with sailors frozen at the mast and helmsmen frozen at the wheel, and passengers frozen in the cabin; all nations dying, first at the north and then at the south. Child frosted and dead in the cradle. Octogenarian frosted and dead at the hearth. Workmen with frozen hand on the hammer and frozen foot on the shuttle. Winter from sea to sea. All congealing winter. Perpetual winter. Globe of frigidity. Hemisphere shackled to hem sphere by chains of ice. Universal Nova Zembla. The earth an ice floe grinding against other ice floes. The archange's of malice and horror have done their work, and now they may

take their thrones of glacier and look down upon the ruin they have wrought. What the destruction of the sun in the natural heavens would be to our physical earth, the destruction of Christianity turned into darkness. Infidelity in our time is considered a great joke. There are people who rejoice to hear, Christianity caricatured, and to hear Christ assailed with quibble and quirk and misrepresentation and badinage

I propose this morning to take infidelity and atheism out of the realm of jocularity into one of tragedy and show you what they propose, and what, if they are successful, they will accomplish. There are those in all our communities who would like to see the Christian religion overthrown, and who say the world would be better without it. I want to show you what is the end of this road, and what is the terminus of this crusade, and what this world will be when atheism and infidelity have triumphed over it, if they can. I say, if they can. I reiterate it, if

In the first place, it will be the complete and unutterable degradation of womanhood, I will prove it by facts and arguments which no honest man will dispute. In all com-munities and cities and states and nations where the Christian religion has been domi nant, woman's condition has been ameli-orated and improved, and she is deferred to and honored in a thousand things, and every gentleman takes off his hat before her. If your associations have been good, you know that the name of wife, mother, daughter, suggest gracious surroundings. You know there are no better schools and seminaries in Brooklyn or in any city of this country than the schools and seminaries for young ladies. You know that while woman may suffer injustice in England and the United States, she has more of her rights in Christendom than she has anywhere else.

Now, compare this with woman's condition in lands where Christianity has made little or no advance-in China, in Barbary, in Borneo, in Tartary, in Egypt, in Hindo-stan. The Burmese sell their wives and daughters as so many sheep. The Hindoo Bible makes it disgracetul and an outrage for a woman to listen to music or look out of the window in the absence of her husband, and gives as a lawful ground for divorce a woman's beginning to eat before her husband has finished his meal. What mean those white bundles on the ponds and rivers in China in the morning? Infanticide fol-lowing infanticide. Female children destroyed simply because they are female. Woman harnessed to a plow as an ox. Wo-man veiled and barricaded, and in all styles of cruel seclusion. Her birth a misfortune, Her life a torture. Her death a horror. The missionary of the cross to-day in heathen lands preaches generally to two

groups—a group of men who do as they please and sit where they please; the other group—women hidden and care-fully secluded in a side apartment, where they may hear the voice of the preacher but may hear the voice of the preacher but may not be seen. No refinement. No liberty. No hope for this life. No hope for the life to come. Ringed nose. Cramped foot. Disfigured face. Embruted soul. Now combined the company of the life to come. pare those two conditions. How far toward this latter condition that I speak of would roman go if Christian influences were withdrawn and Christianity were destroyed? It is only a question of dynamics. If an object be lifted to a certain point and not fastened there, and the lifting power be withdrawn, how long before that object will fall down to the point from which it started! It will fall down and it will go the started the started than the fall down, and it will go still further than the point from which it starte I. Christian-ity has lifted woman up from the very depths of degradation almost to the skies. If that ifting power be withdrawn she falls clear back to the derth from which she was resur-

tion and punishment from society, and it will begin very soon to disintegrate; and take away from the minds of men the fear of hell, and there are a great many of them who would very soon turn this world into a hell. The majority of those who are indig-nant against the Bible because of the idea of punishment are men whose lives are bad or punishment are men whose lives are bad or whose hearts are impure, and who hate the Bible because of the idea of future punishment for the same reason that criminals hate the penitentiary. Oh, I have heard this brave talk about people fearing nothing of the consequences of sin in the next world, and I have made up my mind it is merely a coward's whistling to keep his courage up. I have seen men flaunt their immoralities in the face of the community, and I have heard them defy the judgment day and scoff at the idea of any future consequence of their sin; but when they came to die they shricked until you could hear them for nearly two blocks, and in the summer night the neighbors got up to put the windows down because they could not endure the horror.

I would not want to see a rail train with

five hundred Christian people on board go down through a drawbridge into a watery grave. I would not want to see five hundred Christian people go into such discountries. down through a drawbridge into a watery grave. I would not want to see five hundred Christian people go into such disaster, but I tell you plainly that I could more easily see that than I could for any protracted time stand and see an infidel die, though his pillow were of eider down and under a canopy of vermillon. I have never been able to brace up my nerves for such a spectacle. There is something at such a time so indescribable in the countenance. I just looke I in upon it for a minute or two, but the cintch of his fist was so diabolic, and the strength of voice

was so unnatural. I could not endure it "There is no hell, there is no hell, there is no hell!" the man had said for sixty years; but that night when I looked in the dying room of my infidel neighbor, there was something on his countenance which seemed to say: "There is, there is, there is, there is."

The mightiest restraints to-day against theft, against immorality, against libertinism, against crime of all sorts—the mightiest restraints are the retributions of eternity. Men know that they can escape the law, but down in the offender's soul there is the realization of the fact that they cannot escape God. He stands at the end of the road of profligacy, and he will not dear the guilty. God. He stands at the end of the road of profligacy, and he will not clear the guilty. Take all idea of retribution and punishment out of the hearts and minds of men, and it would not be long before Brooklyn and New York and Boston and Charleston and Chicago became Sodems. The only restraints against the evil passions of the world to-day are Bible restraints.

Supress now these generals of atheism

are Bible restraints.

Suppose now these generals of atheism and infidelity got the victory, and suppose they marshaled agreat army made up of the majerity of the world. They are in companies, in regiments, in brigades—the whole army. Forward, marcht ye hosts of infidels and atheists, banners flying before, banners flying behind, banners inscribed with the words: "No God! No Christ! No punishment! No restraints! Down with the Bible! Do as you please!" The sun turned into darkness.

Forward, march! ye great army of infidels and atheists! And first of all you will attack the churches. Away with those houses of worship! They have been standing there so long and deluding the people with consolation in their bereavements and sorrows. All those churches ought to be extirmated; they darkness. those churches ought to be extirpated; they have done so much to relieve the lost and bring home the wandering, and they have so long held up the idea of eternal rest after the paroxysm of this life is over. Turn the St. Peters and St. Pauls and the temples and tabernacles into club houses. Away with

Foward, march! ye great army of in-fidels and atheists, and next of all they scat-ter the Sabbath-schools—the Sabbath schools filled with bright eyed, bright cheeked little filled with bright eyed, bright cheeked little ones, who are singing songs on Sunday afternoon, and getting instruction when they ought to be on the street corners playing marbles or swearing on the common. Away with them! Forward, march! ye great army of infidels and atheists, and next of all they of infidels and atheists, and next of all they will attack Christian asylums—the institutions of mercy supported by Christian philanthropies. Never mind the blind eyes and the deaf ears and the crippled limbs and the weakened intellects. Let paralyzed old age pick up its own food, and orphans fight their own way, and the half reformed go back to their evil habits. Forward, march! ye great army of infidels and atheists, and with your battle axes hew down the cross and split up the manger of Bethlehem.

On, ye great army of infidels and atheists, and now they come to the graveyards and the cemeteries of the earth. Pull down the sculpture above Greenwood's gate, for it means the resurrection. Tear away at the entrance of Laurel Hill the figure of Old Mortality and the chisel. On, ye great army of infidels and atheists, into the graveyards and the cemeteries; and where you see

and the cemeteries; and where you see "Asleep in Jesus," cut it away, and where you find a marble story of heaven, blast it, and where you find over a little child's grave: and where you find an angel in marble, strike off the wings, and when you come to a family vault, chisel on the door: | "Dead once, dead

But on, ye great army of infidels and atheists, on! They will attempt to scale heaven. There are heights to be taken. Pile hill on hill and Pelion upon Ossa, and then they hoist the ladders against the walls of heaven. On and on until they blow up the

heaven. On and on until they blow up the foundations of jasper and the gates of pearl. They charge up the steep. Now they aim for the throne of him who liveth forever and ever. They would take down from their high place the Father, the Son, the Holy Ghost. "Down with them!" they say. "Down with them from the throne!" they say. "Down forever! Down out of sight! He is not God. He has no right to sit there. Down with him! Down with Christ!"

A world without a head, a universe without a king. Orphan constellations. Fatherle's galaxies. Anarchy supreme. A dethroned Jehovah. An assassinated God. Parricide, regicide, dencide. That is what they mean. That is what they will have, if they can, if they can, if they can. Civilization hurled back into semi-barbarism, and semi-barbarism driven back into Hottentot savagery. The wheel of progress turned the other way, and turned toward the dark ages. The clock of the centuries put back 2000 The clock of the centuries put back 2000 years. Go back, you Sandwich Islands, from your schools and from your colleges, and from your reformed condition, to what you were in 1820, when the missionaries first came. Call home the 500 missionaries from India and overthrow their 2000 schools where they are trying to educate the heathen, and scatter the 140,000 little children that they have gathered out of barbarism into civilization. Obliterate all the work of Dr. Duff in India, of David Abeel in China, of Dr. King in Greece, of Judson in Burmah, of David Brainard amid the American aborigines, and send home the three thousand mission aries of the cross who are tailing in foreign lands. India and overthrow their 2000 schools of the cross who are toiling in foreign lands, toiling for Christ's sake, toiling themselves into the grave. Tell these three thousand man of Gol that they are of no usa. Send home the medical missionaries who are doctoring the bolies as well as the souls of the nations. Go home, London missionary society. Go home, American bard of foreign missions. Go home, ye Moravians, and relinquish back into darkness and squalor and filth and death the nations whom ye have

begun to lift. Oh, my friends, there has never been such a nefarious plot on earth as that which infi-delity and atheism have planned. We were shocked a few years ago because of the attempt to blow up the parliament houses in London; but if infidelity and atheism succeed in their attempt they will dynamite a world. Let them have their full way and this world will be a habitation of three rooms this world will be a habitation of three rooms
—a habitation with just three rooms; the
one a madbouse, another a lazaretto, the
other a pandemonium. These Infidel bands
of music have only just begun their concert
—yea, they have only been stringing their
instruments. I to-day put before you their
whole programme from beginning unto close.
In the theatre the tragedy comes first and
the farce afterward; but in this infidel
drama of death the farce comes first and the
tragedy afterward. And in the former atheists and infidels laugh and mock, but in the
latter God himself will laugh and mock. He
says so: "I will laugh at their calamity and
mock when their fear cometh."

From such a chasm of hidividual, national,
world-wide ruin, stand back. Oh, young

world-wide ruin, stand back. Oh, young men, stand back from that chasm! You see back to the depth from which she was resurrected, not going any lower because there is ne lower depth. And yet, notwithstanding the fact that the only salvation of woman from degradation and woe is the Christian treligion, and the only influence that has ever lifted her in the social scale is Christianity. I have read that there are women who reject Christianity. I make no remark in regard to them. In the silence of your own soul make your observations.

If infidelity triumph and Christianity be overthrown, it means the demoralization of society. The one idea in the Bible that atheorem and infidels most hate, is the idea of retribution. Take away the idea of retribution and punishment from society, and it.

decent burial, and men will come with spades and cover up the carcass, where it falls, that it poison not the air, and the only text in all the Bible appropriate for the funeral sermon will be Jeremiah xxii., 19: "He shall be buried with the burial of an ass."

A thousand voices come up to me this morning, saying: "Do you really think infidelity will succeed? Has Christianity received its death blow? and will the Bible become obsolete?" Yes, when the smoke of the city chimney arrests and destroys the noonday sun. Josephus says about the time of the destruction of Jerusalem the sun was turned into darkness; but only the clouds rolled between the sun and the earth. The sun went right on. It is the same sun, the same luminary as when at the beginning it shot out like an electric spark from God's finger, and to-day it is gilding the sea, and to-day it is filling the earth with light. The same old sun, not at all worn out, though its light steps one hundred and ninety million miles a second, though its pulsations are four hundred and fifty trillion undulations in a second. Same sum, with beautiful white light made up of the violet and the red and the yellow and the orange—the seven beautiful colors now just as when the solar spectrum.

all the beautiful colors of earth: and heaven, violet plucked from amid the spring grass, and the indigo of the skies, and jungles and the blue of the skies, and the green of the foliage, and the yellow of the autumnal woods, and the or ange of the southern groves, and the re i of the sunsets. All the beauties of earth and he aven brought out by this spiritual spectrum. Great Britain is going to take all Europe for God. The take all America for God. Both of them togs there will take all Asia for God. All three of them will take all Africa for God. "Who ar t thou, oh great mountain! before Zerubbat sel thou shall become a plain." The mouth of the Lord hath spoken it. Hallelujah, ams 1!

Odd Names

There are many English names re-markable for their oddity. Many of them it would be hard to classify, or to form any idea of their origin. Many years tago the following list was taken from a newspaper giving an account of a political meeting in a suburb of Philadely, his. Most of them would seem like fict itious names made up for some humorous story: Adam Dialogue, Jacob Juvens i, Jacob Hollowbush, David Barndoller, John Hoggerbetz, Anthony Able, George Limeburner, Peter Fetters, John Perkenpine, Peter Linensheets, John Dickensheets, Barzellai Flick, Frederick Everback, Nelson Swallow, Solomon Sell, George Crock. Jacob Lightcap, John Winpenny, John Rodenp Blar, Samuel V. Rex, Jacob Smiserman, Richard Slaugh-

ter, Samuel Haycock. The following is a miscellaneous selec-tion: Preserved Fish, Christian Grumbling, Sylvanus Shufflebottom, William Sheepshanks. It is told of the two gentlemen wearing the last two names, happening to meet in a common friend's house, who introduced them to each other saying: "Mr. Sheepshanks, Mr. Shufflehottom-Mr. Shuiflebottom, Mr. Sheepshanks," each see med to notice the oddity of the other's name, and thought that their friend was jesting, and one of them

In Philadelphia, fifty years ago, there were two disting uished physicians, with the characteristic names Physic and Hartshorne, and later, a dentist by the name Toothaker, Among the California teachers there was one by the name Rattan, a name not as properly appreciated now as it would have been fifty or sixty years ago, when the rattan was the schoolmaster's sceptre, and the boys got a rattaning for mischief or negligence.

Not many years ago there were in Boston, New York and Philadelphia four eminent Unitarian clergymen, by the names Bellows, Furness, Sparks and "Suffer little children to come unto me," names, were, in this case, very inappro- dropped her, but not a man raised his coal tar gives about 70 pounds of pitch, priate, as none of them were believers

Louis bearing the inscription: "Swindler, Dealer in Real Estate," a name which might have deterred a superstitious person from investing his money with one whose character might accord with the brush to take up the trail.

They followed it is full one and a dome-like but not steep mound or hillock. She dashed straight for the hillock, and so swift was her gait that she had disappeared around it before the dogs broke from the brush to take up the trail.

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The Richest Man in the World. was working for \$50 a month. He is now worth \$200,000,000, which gives him \$175,000,000 is excess of Jay Gould, her speed to suit that of her young, two and \$150,000,000 in excess of Vander of which had fallen behind and were bilt. His three sons are worth \$50,000, 000; total for the whole family, \$350, 000,000. Spreckles has, single-handed, 120,000 tons for the present year. As latest and best equipped American steamers affoat. They have since added two more steamers to their fleet, each o of coal), and have extended their trade to Australia, now holding a contract rying the mails between San Francisco lines of sailing vessels with England, Francisco and San Diego. One of the numerous plantations on the islands iin the world, turning out 16,000 tons of factories throughout California. - New York Sun.

Saw the Joke.

myself laughing."

through your head this time."

"Humph! I'd like to see a joke I couldn't see through." "Read that one."

"But what's the rest?" "I didn't get any further."-Omaha

[Botanic Blood Balm.]

The puerile effort on the the part of any one to decry the inestimable value of rooms in mod- course, apparently drawn by her maternal = ern medicine may deceive and mislead the ignorant, but is truly ridiculous to physicians and and she gradually turned and bore back other students of medical science. It is a base toward the spot where she had left them. characteristic of quackery to promulgate such. The dogs headed her off, and before we pensable—a fact acknowledged by all intelligent physicians combined (as in the case of B. B. B.) with certain vegetable ingredients every fault of the drug is removed, and it does not disorder the stomach or clog the kidneys.

The following testimonial comes unsolicited: KENNESAW, GAS, Sept. 11, 1887. B. B. Company-My DEAR SIR: We had all despaired of my wife ever recovering. Her mouth was one solid ulcer, and for two months or more her body was broken out with sores unbottles of Blood Balm medicine has done the

perfectly healthy, and has a three-months' old babe, also perfectly healthy. Very respectfully, H. L. Cassidi. B, B, B

AN EXCITING WOLF CHASE.

A FAVORITE SPORT OF HUNTERS IN THE WEST

The Desperate Fight of a Wolf to Save Her Young From the Jaws of the Hounds.

"Chasing wolves with horses and hounds where these animals abound in the West," said Benjamin Reed, of Lycoming Co., Penn., who recently returned from a 30 years' residence in the Northwestern Territories, "has grown to be, next to coursing antelope with grey-hounds, the favorite sport of the hunters for pleasure. The wolf chase is especially popular in Idaho. In a fair stand-up fight a gray, white or black wolf will whip any dog, no matter how bold or game he is. These species of the wolf know their own powers, and seem to like nothing better than to have a set-to with a dog. I never knew a gray wolf to run from a single dog in all my experience.

'I was one of the party that camped between the headwaters of the McArthur and Malade Rivers, near the base of the Salmon Mountains, in Idaho, in the days when buffalo was still plenty, but wolves were so numerous in that region, and we found the chase of them on horseback so exciting, that many a buffalo owed his life at our hands to that wolfish presence. "I remember in particular one wolf hunt we had while encamped in the Salmon Mountain region We were mounted on the best buffalo-hunting horses we could buy, and when a horse is a good buffalo-hunter he is as good as a horse can be. Our pack of hounds was large and every dog a thoroughbred foxhound. The season was early Fall. Our route

led to the rocky rises of the Falmon range, which are famous lurking places for the gray wolf, the rocks and dense undergrowth giving them the best of shelter, and the numerous streams affordcurtly asked: "Do you intend to insult ing them unusual opportunities to cap-us?" to drink and feed on the tender roots and plants that grow on the borders of the streams.

"We had ridden several miles through this rough country before the dogs succeeded in starting a wolf, but at last they gave tongue in a thicket off to the right, and quickly following the excited with a litter of whelps tumbling after her broke into the opening. She dashed past us like a flash, and her litter of young ones huddled close too her, evidently finding no difficulty in keeping up its sides to the summit to discover Claus Spreckles is the richest man in the world. Spreckles resides in San killing pace she had cut out was more francisco. Thirty years ago Spreckles than her pups could maintain, as we discovered on reaching the top of the mound, as the old wolf had slackened

making their way with difficulty.
"The dogs dashed around the hillock and were quickly clearing the space be-Within ten years the production there only a question of a few seconds when for heating the hospitals. has increased from 30,000 tons a year to the jaws of the leading hounds of the pack would close upon them, and their the island progressed so did the Spreck-les family. They raised sugar, then re-fined it, making large profits out of each transaction. They built a large fleet of of the litter that had kept by her, it was scaled by a Europeau, the feat on this ocplain that it was only by great effort casion being performed by General Lensailing vessels for trading to and from Honolulu, finally building, at Cramp's that they were able to move even at that shipyards in Philadelphia, two of the speed. The old wolf could easily have island. It is said, indeed, that only one escaped by abandoning her interesting family, but, wolf as she was, she was a true and brave mother. She evidently which is 3,500 tons burden (exclusive recognized the fact that the situation was critical, and she changed her tactics in a surprising manner. She suddenly with the Colonial governments for car turned in her tracks and charged back upon the hound that led the pack by and Sydney. They also control direct several paces and was almost upon the wolf cub that was furthest in the rear. New York, New South Wales, San The winded litter kept on at the best speed they could make. The sudden high. The who'e structure follows the charge of the old wolf took the hound so ranked as the largest and best equipped by surprise that before he could make any show against her at all she had him raw sugar in a year. They are now en by the throat, and with one terrible gaged in the establishment of beet sugar snap of her strong jaws severed windpipe and jugular vein, and threw but it still exhibits flights of fine marble the dog from her as dead as a stone. steps. High up on the rocks are several The two young ones kept on in a tottering way for a few paces and fell ex-hausted to the ground. The old wolf, Mrs. Winks (looking up from paper)

- "Ha, ha, ha! That's too funny. The idea! Ha, ha, ha! Oh, derr, 1'll hurt them, dashed on again and placed herself in the midst of the family that was sive retaining walls, each commanding Mr. Winks—'Well, I've always belieft to her and by various devices tried the other. Owing to the falling away
lieved that a woman never could see a
joke, but you seem to have got one
But it was useless. They fell behind be made up a perpendicular face of the singly and in pairs until only one, with more vigor than the rest, was left struggling along with the mother.

"Read that one."
"Let me see. Where is it? Oh, here from the situation, but the old wolf it is: 'Bridget,' said the lady of the house severely'—Ha, ha, ha! Isn't it funny? Severely! The idea of the lady almost upon her, and suddenly she struck off at right angles from the direction. sped away over the prairie like a race horse, passing the hounds almost under their noses. She could have but one design in thus apparently abandoning her cubs and that was a heroic measure. She hoped to divert the dogs from them by leading them in a chase after herself short one, as the wolf wavered in her startlingly true to its great original. instinct back to her abandoned youn falsity, and with financial gain an only object, is | reached the scene of the ensuing conflict indeed disreputable. In the cure of the worst form of Blood Poison, Iodide of Potash is indispack to death, leaving us but four with which to seek sport for the rest of the day. -New York Times.

Shooting Trout With a Gun. Mr. Hatcher says: "Whenever I felt as if I wanted a trout for dinner I would stroll over to the pond and bring one down, or up rather, with my rifle. Be tween 11 and 12 o'clock at midday are the hours when they can be shot, as for some unexplained reason they come up fil she lost a beautiful head of hair, also eyelashes and eye-brows; in fact, she seemed to be a complete wreck. Now comes the great secret a complete wreck Now comes the great secret seldom that even a scale is disturbed. which I want all the world to know: That three | The rifle ball never touches them. They bottles of Blood Balm medicine has done the work which would sound incredible to any one The water, I think, flattens the ball. who did not know it to be so. To-day my wife is Immediately upon being shot they rice to the surface, floating upon their backs. I never take the trouble to fish with a hook, preferring my rifle."—Atlanta Cen-

> Early rising is one of the character letics of persons who live long lives.

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL.

A French workman has succeeded i producing artificial silk.

A repeating cannon invented by Gruson has been tried at Brosschart, in Belgium, which can throw twenty-seven

A new war vessel has been ordered by the British Admiralty, which is to be named the Blake, of 2000 tons burden and 20,000 horse power. Pin statistics prove that each inhabi-tant of the United States consumes one

pin per day. This makes necessary the daily manufacture of sixty millions of About 200 towns throughout the United States are endeavoring to have electric lights; in about fifty towns com-

panies are being organized for electric A Vienna engnieer named Fisher has just taken out a patent for a new smokeshating process. He propo es, by means of electricity, to condense the solid part of the smoke as it arises from the coal,

into the furnace. The bacillus of cancer is hard to find, and Dr. Senger reports to the Berlin Clinical Society that he has been unable to verify observations claimed to have revealed the organism. Cancer appears to be peculiar to man, as it has never been inoculated in the lower animals.

the carbon thus solidified falling back

The new machine just invented for printing postal cards prints them from the roll, and turns them out in packages ready for delivery. It runs them off at the rate of 300 a minute, with paper bands pasted around each twenty-five. It is said one man can look after two

"Dry rot"-the enemy of builders-is a contagious disease of timber. Good authorities state that it can be carried by saws and other tools which have been in contact with infected wood, and that such transition and impregnation is often the cause of the mysteriously rapid decay of originally sound timbers.

An Austrian has patented a process for getting a thread that can be spun and bleached from wood, which is cut in long lengths and boiled till it will cleave apart in fibrous bunches by shaking in water. braying a very large but gaunt she wolf It is then shredded by hand or by machinery, and spun like hemp. This gives a yery fine thread, and less boiling gives a coarser one.

It is found that, besides gas, a ton of ordinary gas coal will yield 1500 pounds pace with her, although she went lke the of coke; 20 gallons of ammonia water, wind. As the wolf passed us she was so and 140 pounds of coal tar. Now, de-Burnap. These fery and suggestive close that a pistol shot could have structive distillation of this amount of hand against her. There was a stretch 17 pounds of creosote, 14 pounds of

They followed it in full cry, and we spurred our horses to the hillock, and suitable lengths, tops and bottoms are fitted in, the inside coated with a waterproof compound, and all this is done by machinery almost as quickly as one can

Heavy machinery is now run by artesiau well power in many parts of France, and the experience of the French show that the deeper the well the greater the pressure and the higher the temperature. The famous Grenelle well, sunk to the depth of 1800 feet, and flowing daily some 500,000 gallons, has a presbuilt up the Hawaiian Island sugar tween them and the young wolves that trade under the reciprocity treaty. had dropped so far in the rear that it was the water being also so hot that it is used

A Steep Climb in Ceylon.

For the first time for a number of years the Sigiri Rock in Ceylon has been other European, Mr. Creasy, ever succeeded in reaching the summit. The rock is cylindrical in shape, and the bulging sides render the ascent very difficult and dangerous. There are galleries all round, a groove about four inches deep being cut in the solid rock. This rises spirally, and in it are fixed the foundation bricks, which support a platform about six feet broad, with a chunam-coated wall about nine feet curves and contours of the solid rock, and is cunningly constructed so as to make the most of any natural support the formation can afford. In some places the gallery has fallen completely away, figures of Buddha; but it is a mystery how the artist got there, or how, being there, he was able to carry on his work.

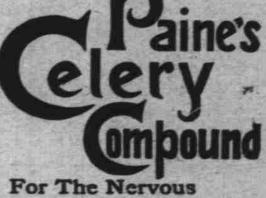
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Sullivan, Hospital Steward, Morganza, Pa. one above the other, supported by masbe made up a perpendicular face of the cliff, and General Lennox and four natives were left to do the latter part of the ascent alone. The top they found to be a plateau about an acre in extent in which were two square tanks, with sides 30 yards and 15 feet respectively in length, cut out of the solid rock. A palace is believed to have existed on the summit at one time; although time, weather and the jungle have obliterated all traces of it. During the descent the first comer had to guide the foot of the next into a safe fissure; but all reached the bottom safely in about two and a half

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