# Sage of Monticello Devoted Much Time to Creation of Mechanical Devices but Opposed the Granting of Patents.

William E. Curtis, . Chicago Record-Herald.

Thomas Jef t, consistent in an inventor, h his belief in the atural right of all mankind to s are useful improvements with at restraint, he never applied for a patent. the rainmaker for all the native one to go to her kraal the war 487 for \$2,441,451 a year ago; His first original device was a tribes south of the Zambesi river, would be ended. In her reply she while in other commercial lines His first original device was a tribes south of the Zambesi river, folding chair, which he used to in South Africa, was Majaje, the accepted the first condition, but the comparison is still more satcarry to church in early days, White Queen of the Makatese when services were held in the tribe, which lived in the woodcourt house at Charlottesville, bush in the northern part of the she would come out and grant an 806,415. Of banking and fiduand the seating conveniences were Transvaal. The Zulus, the Hot- audience to the Boer leader. insufficient. His grandson tells tentots, the Kaffirs, the Basutos us how he would "mount his and scores of other tribes recoghorseearly in the morning, during nized her as the great rainmaker, drums and the shrill noises of 000 in the same month last year. Lillian Russell, our honor as gentlethe latter years of his life, canter and whenever there was a drouth crude wind instruments. Foredown the mountain and across in their provinces they sent their runners emerged from the bush the country to the site of the uni- emissaries to her with requests and announced the coming of the versity, and spend a long day for rain. there, directing the work, carry-ing with him a walking stick of heard concerning her led them to sion reached General Joubert the bronchitis, which are the most his own invention, now familiar believe that Majaje was a myth, priests deposited the palanquin dangerous and fatal diseases, to all, composed of three sticks, and Rider Haggard elaborated which, being spread out and cov- the report in his novel 'She,' ered with a piece of cloth made a which had for its leading chartolerable seat." Mr. Bacon, his acter a mysterious white woman skin and was clothed in a varieoverseer, in his reminiscenses who ruled over a race of blacks gated costume of skins, furs and berlain's Cough Remedy has says: "His servants came with somewhere in Central Africa. bead-work, Joubert observed her proven wonderfully successful, him and brought a seat, a kind Haggard wrote his novel in the closely and found that Henning and gained its wide reputation of camp stool of his own inven- eighties, while he was in South Pretorius' description of her was and extensive sale by its success tion. After Mr. Jefferson gotold Africa, and long before it was accurate in every detail. The in curing the diseases which cause established that the White Queen woman had light, soft hair, thin coughing. If it is not beneficial with him and carry that stool so was not a myth. The fact that lips, blue eyes and a complexion it will not cost you a cent. For that he could sit down while he such a woman really lived was as light as that of the majority was waiting for anybody or at- proved by three white men who of white persons who have lived tending to any work that was talked with her, and one of those in the tropics for many years. going on." In the tropics for many years. Many persons have attempt

article of furniture in all offices and counting-rooms. The feder-Henning Pretorius so as to look all ways at once."

or sulky with a comfortable seat of the Transvaal in the latter learned that there was a tradiand two wheels, with which he part of 1889 and reported to his tion among the Makatese that

Madison in 1787: "Having a the Makatese tribe and that her acred all except one or two. great desire to have a portable capital was surrounded by an General Joubert believed, as did copying machine, and having almost impenetrable forest of the chieftains, that Majaje was studied over some experiments small thorn trees. On the outwith the principle of large ma-chines made to apply in the smaller one, I planned one in tribesmen, who asked him and England and had it made. It his companions to depart from of ruler of the tribe. Proof of answers perfectly. I have set a the neighborhood immediately. the fact that gold was dug in getting her money's worth unless same size built in 1803. That state-workman to making them, and Pretorius refused to leave and that neighborhood has been she stretches it out to ten words. ment, however, is made by a noted they are of such demand that he insisted upon seeing the Queen. than a sponge." He also sent a and his companions were left becopying press to the Marquis de hind under guard of a large num-

and eighteen years afterward the

MAJAJE, THE WHITE QUEEN.

# son was himself Mysterious Woman of Caucasian Type who Ruled a Tribe in South Africa.

For more than half a century

going on." He invented the revolving chair, now a familiar and necessary Army, was authority for this ac-Queen's ancestry and the result

Henning Pretorius, one of the are current in the country, each alist newspapers used to call it Transvaal's first commandant- being heralded as the only true "Mr. Jefferson's whirl-i-gig," and generals, and probably the most solution. The most plausible declared that he had devised it fearless Boer that ever lived, re- theory is the one that Commandturned from one of his frequent ant-General Joubert advanced. He also designed a light wagon journeys into unknown regions From some old chieftains he frequently drove around the Government that he had successed in seeing Majaje. In a number of white men had come to ride horseback. Mr. Jefferson invented the copy-ing press. He writes to Mr. woman was Queen of a section of enmity of the blacks, who mass-

has his hands full. I send you After a long discussion, during the Zambesi, where in recent years one. You must expect to make which many messengers were sent many old shafts have been unmany essays before you succeed perfectly. A soft brush, like a shaving brush, is more successful Latayette as a present. Another of his inventions was a hemp break, which he says "has long been wanted by the cultiva-to the Oueen's royal kraal. In tors of hemp, and as soon as I to the Queen's royal kraal. In can speak of its effect with cer-tainty I shall describe it anony-mously in the public papers, in order to forestall the prevention of its use by some interloping she undoubtedly had the power of life and death over them, and stomach, will digest your food, some interloping of life and death over them, and He invented a pedometer to measure the distances he walked. He sent one to James Madison

THE SMITHF'ELD HERALD, MAY 10, 1901

JEFFERSON AS AN INVENTOR. Society of the Seine. The medai which they awarded for it fol-lowed the inventor to New York, The day after the return of the The day after the return of the victorious Swazis several messensociety sent him a superb plow containing his improvement. decorrous swars several messare peace offerings in the shape of 707 for \$9,761,869 last year. two ivory tusks and a beautiful Even in 1899, the year of lowe it white ox. clared that Majaje had been mis- 666 failures for 5,790,096. Manled by Magoeba and that she had facturing defaults numbered 163, no desire to be an enemy of the with a total indebtedness of Boers. Joubert told the messen- \$1,997,694, against 178 last the photographs with letters somegers to tell their Queen that if year for \$4,514,003; of trading thing like this: 'Dear Miss: After she would surrender her arms un- concerns 555 discontinued, with conditionally and permit some liabilities of \$3,168,823, against declined to allow any one to visit isfactory, 45 failing for \$404,705, her kraal, adding, however, that against 42 in 1900 owing \$2,-

> resounded with the beating of faults of \$529,000 against \$650,-Queen.

> on the ground and drew aside the curtains that conceal'd the Queen. persistent cough, and if properly She reclined on a beautiful quagga treated as soon as this cough

has been that many strange tales found in scores of places along

If people only knew what we know about Kodol Dyspepsia belching, flatulence, sour stomach Cure, which, with no aid from the

Failures in April.

# Commercial failures during April were 763 in number and The emissaries de- death rate since 1881; there were ciary institutions there were but The following morning the bush four failures in April with de-

Beware of a Cough.

-Dunn's Review.

A cough is not a disease but a symptom. Consumption and system." have for their first indication a appears are easily cured. Chamsale by Hood Bros.

# Pointed Paragraphs.

Remarks may be pointed and yet blunt. A hard head seldom goes with

a soft heart. The baseball fan comes ahead

of the palmleaf. The scissors grinder rejoices most when things are dull.

Tears are a woman's safety valve; cuss words are a man's. Most youngsters would rather

be live boys than dead angels. The colt doesn't starve who has never had a bit in his mouth. The fellow who goes around looking for trouble doesn't need a telescope.

The trouble about being a

gram she doesn't think she is -Philadelphia Record.

## In the Rush.

"And did you," she asked cuddling up to him and looking of the crack racing yachts of today. me the first time we met?'

They had just confessed their love for each other. The first kiss was still moist on their lips.

# MONE! EASILY MADE.

"I've got a scheme," said the grafter, "that'll work like a clock. I'm going to put an ad. in the paper asking women to send their photo graphs and a \$5 bill and I'll tell them how to become beautiful."

"But how can you make them beautiful?" asked the chump.

"Don't have to. I'll send back seeing your photograph we are sur-prised that you desire to become more heautiful than you already are. It sometimes seems that the very ones upon whom God bestows his greatest favors are the least thankful. One so divinely endowed with such loveliness as you possess should be contented. Although we have added to the beauty of such women as Lily Langtry, Maxine Elliott and men and our reputation as an old established firm compel us to inform you that you already possess beauty far beyond the possibilities of our

"But the \$5?" asked the chump. "Oh, I guess a woman wouldn't make much of a howl over the five," answered the grafter .-- Indianapolis Sun.

# SURGERY BY TELEPHONE,

Surgery performed by directions given over the telephone is the lat-est innovation at the Hahnemann hospital. A physician who is connected with its surgical staff was called up by telephone the other day by a nurse at the Children's best flues for the least money. In hospital, in Germantown, with have them. which institution the physician is also connected, and was told that his services were immediately required for a child who had dislocated its shoulder. "Bring the child right up to the telephone," said the surgeon. "All right, I have the child in my arms," the nurse re-plied. "Now, then," said the physician, "place the child's elbow against its side and move its hand and forearm outward." His directions were here interrupted by a sharp click that sounded through the telephone as the dislocated member snapped back into place. "There you are. Nicely done, wasn't it?" said the surgeon to the nurse. She replied that the operation had been most successful, and the physician re-turned to his clinic.—Philadelphia Record.

SPEED OF SAILING CRAFT.

It is rather surprising to learn that our modern cup defenders sail no faster than a vessel of about the naval architect of Boston. He declares that the famous Salem privateer America of the war of 1812 sailed faster on her best point-with the wind on the quarter-than any wistfully into his honest blue Her log shows that she frequently eyes, "feel irresistibly drawn to made 13 knots with the burden of a Her log shows that she frequently warship, while the best speed of the cup defenders of today is little better than 14 knots in racing trim. It is an interesting fact that the ar-"Well," he answered, "if I were chitect in question, a lineal descend-

# DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK ?

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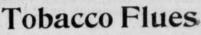
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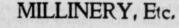
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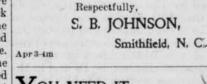
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I wish to say to my friends and



He sent one to James Madison, of any negro government he had J. R. Ledbetter. with the following explanatory ever seen. letter: "To the loop at the bot-tom of it you must sew a tape, his report was that the woman and at the other end of the tape a small hook. Cut a little hole her as having straight, soft hair a small hook. Cut a little hole in the bottom of your left watch pocket, pass the hook and tape through it, and down between the breeches and drawers, and fix the hook on the edge of your knee band an inch from the knee knee band, an inch from the knee to tell her age, or anything con- was not an outburst of exhuberbuckle; then hook the instru-ment itself by its swivel hook, on the upper edge of your watch pocket. Your tape being ad-justed in length, your steps will be exactly measured by the in-strument." to tell her age, or anything con-added that she appeared to be more than 100 years old—per-haps 115. In 1894 the Makatese tribe formed an alliance with Magoeba, the wood by William McKinley. No strument.

was a plow. Mr. Bacon, his over-seer, says: "He was very ingeni-ous. He invented a plow that Joubert, the commandant-gene-into a rebellion against the Boers. Joubert, the commandant-gene-sity as Memphis. And now that was considered a great improve-ment on any that had ever been against the rebellious natives has asserted her pre-eminence as 

of the plows in common use. The them and fought valiantly for part of the plow called the "mold several weeks. The natives were phis Commercial-Appeal, May 1. with the greatest confidence and board," which is above the share defeated finally and fled into the and turns over the earth, seemed bush and mountains. The Swazis design to the Royal Agricultural dunas, or headmen, in order to Hood Bros.

His most important invention who lived near the same district,

By Memphians the introduc-

formed an alliance with Magoeba, the king of the woodbush Kaffrs, who lived near the same district, sacrificed more than Memphis. was nearly always busy upon Bunu, who acquired the fatal the President expresses without habit of drinking five quarts of reserve his cordial appreciation Jefferson's plow received a gold medal in France in 1790. During his European tours he had been struck with the waste of power caused by the bad construction of the waste of power caused by the bad construction of the waste of power caused by the bad construction of the waste of power matched the struck with the waste of power caused by the bad construction of the waste of power matched the struck with the waste of power matched the struck wast

Skin affections will readily disand turns over the earth, seemed to him the chief seat of error, and he spent many of the leisure hours of his last two years in France in evolving a mold board which shoul 1 offer the minimum of resistance. Hesenttheoriginal duras or headmen in order to borought with them the heads of the asked Joubertfor permission granted. When they returned, several/days afterward, the Swazis brought with them the heads of duras or headmen in order to borought with them the heads of the several duras or headmen in order to brought with them the heads of the several duras or headmen in order to brought with them the heads of the several duras or headmen in order to brought with them the heads of the several duras or headmen in order to brought with them the heads of the several duras or headmen in order to brought with the several of the several duras or headmen in order to brought with them the heads of the several duras or headmen in order to brought with them the heads of the several duras or headmen in order to brought with the several of the several duras or headmen in order to brought with the several of the several duras or headmen in order to the several duras or headmen the several duras or head brows the several duras or head the seve

Still, to stick to facts, I must say that I was ancestor .- Youth's Companion.

"What do you mean?" she asked half-indignantly, drawing away.

"You see," he hurried to explain, "it was at the Blandford's reception that I first saw you." "Yes," she answered.

"Well, you were up at the punchbowl, and 1 gct caught in the crowd that was trying to get there."-Chicago Record-Herald.

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A clergyman while catechising his Sunday School had occasion to ask the children the meaning of the word "epistle." A little girl in the youngest class was so certain that she knew that she with the greatest confidence, an-swered, "An epistle is the wife of anapostle."—New York Sun.

Hood Bros., J. R. Ledbetter.

RILEY GRANNAN'S LAST BILL.

bus, O., the treasurer took in a \$10 bill upon which was written, "The last of \$20,000," and signed Riley Grannan, the well known bookmak-er. The bill was paid out in the

hands of e business man, who at once communicated with Grannan, from my Milliner, Miss Williewho is now out on the San Francisco tracks, and negotiations are in progress for the return of the marked bill to Grannan, who, since he set it afloat on the sea of business, has made another fortune and is anxious to get the marked bill back again.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

## VEST'S GRIM HUMOR.

Senator Vest is older than his years in fact as well as in appearance. He is ill and despondent and refuses to take a cheerful view of life: Nevertheless his mind is one of the brightest in the senate.

One day he sank into his chair, saving to his neighbor, "I am an old man, and I'll never get over this."

"Come. come. Vest; brace up," replied his neighbor; "brace up and you'll be all right. Look at Morrill over there. He's nearly 90 and is ts spry as a man of 40.'

"Morrill: Morrill!" said Vest. "He's set for eternity. They'll have to shoot him on the day of judgment."

## FACE DIFFERENT WAYS.

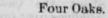
Among the odd changes brought about by the succession of King Edward VII is that while Victoria's face on British gold coins looked to to the left King Edward's looks to the right. This is an accordance studies and studies of the second state with a long established custom that St. Louis, Mo., Dallas, Tex., San Francisco, Cal. makes each successive sovereign face the opposite way on the coins from his or her predecessor.

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