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Upon the rolling tide of life;
Only a hope, 'twill never sink,
Though tottering near and nearer the brink — Only a wish and nothing more,
Though lost in the treacherous whirlpool of Time;
Only a life alone on the wave,
Only a heart I am seeking to save

Only a flower, uplifting its head To kiss the bright dewdrops of morn; Only a flower, all withered and dead, As evening comes with noiseless tread— Only a flower.

Only a heart.

Only a dewdrop glistening at morn Upon the fall rose leaf that hangs on the stem; Twas born in splendor, 'twill die 'neath the ray of the shimmering light of the bright orb of day Only a dewdrop.

Only a secret—no hope for its cawn; No hope for a future in the deathless Beyond; Only the memories to brighten and glow, To live in my heart forevermore— Only the memories. Only a promise made to be broken. Only a moment of blissful remembrance. Only a sigh from the depth of my heart,

Only a meeting forever to part— Only a promise. OBSERVATIONS.

So far this winter the cold wave hasn't struck anything in this section except the third-term boom—Phil. Times. The difference between a scale-maker and a dentist is that one is always on the weigh and the

All but three members of the Utah Legislature are, comparatively speaking, hachelors, having only one wife each. On February 11 Japan will celebrate the 2,540th anniversary of Jimnu Ten-O's accession to the throne of the empire. Jimnu was a good sover-

eign, but he is dead now.

The fellow who swore off swearing off calculates that he is about the only man who is sticking to his 1st of January vow at present.—Rome Sentinel. Observing little brother's remark before a room full of company: "I know what made that red mark on Mary's nose; it was the rim of John Par-ker's hat." And there are girls who believe that little brothers never go to heaven.

A conceited young lady in St. John, while airing her knowledge on various subjects, remarked: "There is nothing made in vain." "You are." said a youth standing near her. "Am what?" said she. "Maiden vain." replied the smart boy.

A lady at the West has a letter from her grandmother, in which she explains that the reason she
has time for letter-writing in the evening was that
"'ceusin Grace Fletcher is trying to entertain a
young man by the name of Daniel Webster by playling checkers. Father and uncle Chamberlain
think him a young man of great promise, but we
girls think him awaward and rather verdant."

SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS. There were no deaths, either white

Simpson Bobo, of Spartanburg, S. C., has been superintendent of the Metholist Sunday school for forty years. Darlington Southerner: W.-J. Pat-

erson, a white man, formerly of North Carolina, but latterly living near Effing-

ham, was found dead in the woods last

or colored, reported in Columbia last

Saturday morning. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that deceased came to his death from natural causes. On the evening of the 10th inst., Mr. James A. Gray, of Laurens county, accidently shot himself with a pistol at the residence of Dr. Drummond, in Spartanhurg county. He called on a lie pool of the tribe is sealed, and that it is useless to contend against a fearless, restless population of miners and ranchmen; yet he is naturally anxious to secure the best terms he can for his pool of the county. Spartanburg county. He called on a his people. The examination now be-Spartanburg county. He called on a young lady at Dr. Drummond's, on the evening above mentioned, and reached the house in a drenching rain. He sat by a fire to dry himself, and taking his pistol from his pocket, by some careless handling it was discharged, the ball taking effect in his breast, in the region of the heart, inflicting a dangerous wound. He is now in a critical rondi.

Ins people. The examination now being made can do but little good; the war has been started, and the citizens of Colorado will not allow it to end until the last Indian is removed from her borders.

A Minister on Trial.

Rev. John H. Lane, pastor of the

RAILROAD TALK IN GEORGIA. What the Kings of the Rail are Doing.

wound. He is now in a critical condi-

At last we have the promise that there will be within the near future two powerful lines of road reaching to leorgia ports direct from St. Louis and

These lines will be controlled by the These parties testified Thursday, and Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis made a strong case against the minister. company, known as the Cole company, Mr. Lane testified in his own behalf, and the St. Louis and Nashville com-pany, headed by Dr. Standiford. It is more than possible that we shall have lawful way, and strenuously denied the a third great line, controlled by the alleged criminal misconduct. He says Cincinnatti Southern; but as Cincin- he has been the victim of the gossips of nati is very much averse to putting any the neighborhood, and that Kensico

Louisville line has over 1,400. Each of | ing to arouse her jealously in it. them promise to do grand things for the South, and to make her an equal section of this republic. Their present status, their future purpose, and the opinions of those in charge of them must therefore be of great interest to gate the charge presented against J. H.

no doubt but that the Louisville and conduct is sustained."

Nashville road has purchased a controlling interest in a Nashville and Chattaing interest in a Nashville and Chattanooga company, by which that road
and its branches pass to them. I
have this from Col. Cole himself! The
price was ninety-five cents, and three
million eight hundred thousand dollars
worth were bought. Stevenson, Colonel Cole's friend, commenced to unload, and the sale soon went to a panic.
The result of this, it is thought, will be
to stor the present work on the Owensto stop the present work on the Owensboro extension, destroy the present chance of building the Georgia West-ern, and a refusal to retify the lease of the Central road. Colonel Cole's direc-

To all who are subering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that
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York City.

What the Old Man Does, and What He is Accused of Doing. Wash, Cor. Augusta Chronicle. If Mr. Tilden is not now exerting a subtle force all over the country, he is much maligned. Every mysterious political ripple or result is attributed to The present legislative calm is

supposed to be his handiwork, although some forks timidly suggest that Mr. Blaine's absence at home may account for it. The defeat of Thurman for Senator in Ohio is ascribed to the Pacific railroads plus Tilden. Senator Whyte's discomfiture in Maryland is traced back to the old man at Gramercy Park. It is said that no Democratic Senator who voted for the electoral commission prosper, if Mr. Tilken can prevent it. I do not know about Mr Thurman, but my impression is that Senator Whyte made some capital mistakes and invited defeat. I think, too, the ring in Maryland is all-powerful, and that Mr. Gorman ruled the ring. It is a pity that the city of Baltimore could not command one Senator, and it is to be regretted that the State of Maryland has no experienced statesmen in the upper House of Congress. But I am decidedly of the impression that Mr. Tilden had no more to do with this posture of events than Grand Khan of Tartary or Col. Jack Brown. simply detail these circumstances, and

The Ute Tribe Must Disappear. Washington Special to Baltimore Sun.

am prepared to furnish others, in or-

der to demonstrate what a mysterious

and pervading influence that strange

old man still possesses, and that, if in-

deed he be engaged in machination, the

world will be startled to some purpose

when he starts his entire system with

an electric throb that will make Menlo

Park look like a junk shop in eclipse.

The Ute Indian investigation now in progress here promises to be a long one and will undoubtedly end in the removal of the Indians from their present reservation to some other location. Where that will be it is difficult to say, but in all probability to the Upper Rio Grande, with very restricted limits as After family prayer, a few evenings since, a little Quincy boy asked: "Mamma, how can God hear folks pray when He's so far away?" Before the lady could frame a suitable reply, a sunny faced little miss of five summers vehemently said: "I'll jes bet He's dot telephones a runnin' to every be made in one reservation. It matters be made in one reservation. It matters but little how the present examination of the subject, either by Congress or the department, may terminate, the finality of the Utes as a nation is beyond doubt. Even should both Congress and the Indians agree to establish the latter on the Grande river, in Colorado, the State feeling against them is such that they could not remain there more than a year or so. The State is crowded with miners, who will prospect wherever they please, no matter what law may be enacted for the protection of the Indians. There are hundreds of stock-raisers and ranchmen in the State of Colorado who are now watching for an opportunity to locate in the fertile valley of the White River, where the unfortunates of the White River Agency were massacred. Ouray, who is chief of all the Utes, and who is wise enough to foresee the result, is willing to accept almost any terms. He is aware that the fate of his tribe is sealed, and

Rev. John H. Lane, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Kensies, Westchester county, New York, is now on trial before the official body of the church on charges of "unministerial conduct and immoral practices." acts charged cover more than eighteen months of Mr. Lane's pastorate, and embrace the lascivious kissing and hugging of the wives of the two stew-ards of the Kensico church, taking improper liberties with a comely young lady member, and making improper proposals to a newly-admitted convert. These parties testified Thursday, and more money into her great enterprise contains nearly a score of couples who at present, we need not count upon that have violated their marriage vows, and at present, we need not count upon that a present, we need not count upon that a present whose chief business is to stir up enmity among the well-behaved portion of the community. The pastor's wife, companies pushing to the Atlantic a young and attractive lady, admitted coast at Port Royal, Brunswick or that her husband was in the habit of Savannah. They are both rich, power-kissing the wife of one of his stewards, ful and ambitious. The Cole line has both at the parsonage and at the stew now over 2,000 miles of road, and the ard's house, and said that she saw noth-

our people. I shall give a sketch of care people. I shall give a sketch of care against J. H. Lane, after due deliberation, are unanimously in the judgment that the specifications are sustained in part, and show that they hope to do prudent, and desertes reproof, but do prudent, and desertes reproof, but do not find that the charge of immoral conduct is sustained."

Actin the laying Present!

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

boro extension, destroy the present chance of building the Georgia Western, and a refusal to ratify the lease of the Central road. Colonel Cole's directors were to have ratified that lease to day, but did not meet, the New York directors not coming.

The control of Cole's road was lought for less than it would have cost to build the Georgia Western, and leaves no reason for building that line. The lease of the Central is the reported cause of Cole's friends abandoning him, though it is runnored that the purchase was made by the friends of Northern trunk lines, who were alarmed at Cole's rapid strides towards competition. The Louisville and Nashville people did the bayong and the stock of that company is over par. Nashville is terribly excited and indignant.

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