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Young Chinamen in San Francisco are progressive. They are developing a talent for pool playing and lager beer.

Queen Victoria won't allow smoking about her house. When the Prince of Wales visits her and wants to indulge he has to go out in the back yard.

Two enterprising Michigan capitalists have purchased 20,000 acres of splendid timber land in London county, Tenn. The land will be cleared with a view to establishing a cattle ranch. As the clearing progresses the land will be set in grass.

The Melanoplus devastator and Caloptenus differentials are the two kinds of grasshoppers that are now browsing upon the crops in California. They are not particular as to what they eat, and such a thing as dyspepsia never was known in the family.

Mr. Hinton Rowan Helper says that he conceived the idea of a Continental railway from North to South America from getting feebly sea sick on a voyage on the South American coast in 1866. He resolved if he had any more traveling in that direction to do he would go by rail or walk.

Mr. S. A. Long, a prominent Republican of Ohio, remarks that the Democrats of that State are split up this year that the Republicans could elect a "yellow dog" Governor. It was the presumption that the yellow dog business could be carried on with impunity and success that finally unshored the Republican party and put a Democrat in the White House.

St. W. Humphrey, postmaster at St. Croix, Dakota, has a streak of humor in him. In tending his resignation as postmaster he says: "I would not give as the reason that I am and have been an offensive partisan, and prefer resigning to removal. Furthermore, I can get along without a postoffice, and feel quite confident the department will manage in some way to get along without me."

The dog in the Elevator. Buffalo Courier, June 18th.

A gentleman in this city owns a dog whose intelligence he is willing to back against that of any other brute. It is the dog's habit to accompany his master to his office on the fifth floor of one of the prominent business blocks in this city. The elevator being used by both man and dog. One day the man had occasion to leave his office and the dog followed him. During their wandering they were separated, and the man returned to the office alone. After awhile he heard a whining outside, and there stood the dog. Inquired from the elevator boy brought out the fact that on opening the elevator door at one of the regular trips the dog, who was standing outside, ran in and lay on the floor of the car. There he remained until the boy started up again, and although the door was opened at the second and fourth floors the dog did not stir. Curious to see what would happen when the boy passed the fifth floor, and immediately the dog began to whine. Arrived at the top of the building the door was opened, but the dog refused to go out. He was on the fifth floor and was so excited that he barked and howled. The owner claims that the dog's behavior was a most extraordinary one. He says that the dog was not only intelligent but also very loyal.

Death of a Noted Southerner. The death of Major James Dick Hill of heart disease, in Nashville, Tenn., on Thursday, ended the career of one of the most remarkable men in the South. He was the son of the late Harry Hill, one of the wealthiest residents of Louisiana, and distinguished for his great charity. At the death of his father Major Hill came to the head of the property valued at \$1,000,000, but the war left him in only moderate circumstances. He was for some time connected with the Nashville Banner, and at the time of the late war he was engaged in publishing a paper in the South. He was a man of high character and a noted musical critic, and was highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends.

Internal Revenue Collections. The collections of internal revenue during the first eleven months of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1885, as compared with the collections during the same period of last year, were as follows: From spirits \$65,067,514, decrease \$8,466,909; from tobacco \$24,097,063, increase \$63,130; from fermented liquors \$10,273,486, increase \$53,888; from banks, bankers &c. \$25,000, increase \$25,000; from miscellaneous \$234,112, decrease \$395,922. Aggregate receipts \$103,697,194, decrease of \$6,200,413. The total receipts for the month of May, 1885, were \$1,852,329 less than during the same month of the previous year.

A Colored Preacher Narrowly Escapes. New Orleans, June 23. A special to the Times-Tribune from New Orleans says: "On Saturday afternoon Isaac James, a colored Methodist preacher attempted to outrage a ten year old daughter of Randolph Ferguson, residing three miles north of August, Miss. James escaped to the swamp, but was captured yesterday and placed in jail at August. It was with great difficulty that the sheriff prevented the infuriated citizens of the section from lynching the negro.

Sick and Suffering. All communications of sick and suffering persons should be sent to Dr. F. W. Myers, 125 N. 2nd St. - or sent through the post office to Dr. F. W. Myers, 125 N. 2nd St. - or sent through the post office to Dr. F. W. Myers, 125 N. 2nd St.

THE MODERN GREEKS.

Penetration of the Characteristics of the Greek Character and Habits of Life in the Greek of the Present Day.

ATHEISM. Greece, June 15.—This letter will attempt to give something of the Greek character and customs, thinking that it would afford some interest to his readers. It is somewhat difficult to describe the Greek character; it is so mixed and possessed of so many diversities. But what is a Greek to-day? I may say that any is a Greek who belongs to a Greek Orthodox church, whether he be in fact a Greek or an Albanian. If a Turk should join in Greece the Greek church, he would be called a Greek, according to the present usage. The church is the standard by which all are judged, it makes no difference whether the blood that flows in the man's veins be of main or minor race, or of a mixture of the two. The church is the standard by which all are judged, it makes no difference whether the blood that flows in the man's veins be of main or minor race, or of a mixture of the two. The church is the standard by which all are judged, it makes no difference whether the blood that flows in the man's veins be of main or minor race, or of a mixture of the two.

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It is in more eastern lands, and they have not those privileges as the western country receives. She, like her sisters, is fond, though dress, and exceedingly so. She does not indulge in the "love preliminaries" so much as is done in other countries, as the writer knows of, for "courtship" is the part of the brother usually, of course, there are exceptions. The brother takes a great interest in his sister, and often makes "courtship" affairs for them. Here is about the manner in which it is worked: The brother has a young acquaintance whom he likes, and this young acquaintance happens also to like the brother's sister. Quick work. The brother takes him to his sister and says: "Here, Penelope, is a good young fellow, take him, marry and love him. And you may say that she generally does it, even if the love does come after the marriage, and not before. There is a great amount of philosophy in this kind of courtship," but not very much sentiment. The brother takes the Greek women make good wives, nevertheless, to judge them here in their homes. As a rule the brothers never marry until their sisters are married. The brother waits until he himself begins to look about him; but a brother with a half a dozen ugly sisters is not in a very favorable position, according to my view, that is, if he himself is not immediately a companion in life. The education of the girls is neglected; the boys get the most that is given. But the women have not as yet reached that point where they are able to demand; so long as they sit idle and ask for nothing more than that which is given, they may rest assured that they will receive nothing, for the majority of this people think that knowledge in a woman's head is about as useless as knowledge in a door knob. Only a few of the women are learning to read from the spring of light, will be able to obliterate, in their flow, such thoughts and such delusions.

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