CURRENT COMMENT.

- Poverty has its compensations. It is to be noted that it is at Tullahoma, Tenn., were sitting in always the "wealthy" farmer who is the jail yard playing euchre. A Confedbuying gold bricks or running away with his neighbor's wife or hanging himself or shooting somebody else. The needy agriculturist is presumably too busy hoeing corn to get into such scrapes. - Chicago Chroniele,

-- The negroes of Virginia have contributed about \$10,000 to fight the new constitution of this State. For all practical purposes of good to themselves or to any one else, except the lawyers on their side of the case, they might as well have poured their dollars in a rat hole. Will the negroes never learn anything in the hard school of experience? Especially, will they never learn that the way to their elevation and prosperity as a race does not lie through the field of politics, but in the acquisition of wealth and learning?-Petersburg Index-Appeal.

-Mr. John G. Webb of Florida writes to the New York Sun quoting a dictum of John C. Calhoun, that "cotton cannot be profitably raised where there is no frost." This was announced in one of his masterly speeches in the United States Senate. Mr. Webb continues: "Since then I have become a Southern farmer and I have learned that Mr. Calhoun's dictum is true. The cost of eliminating the last year's foliage, unaided by frost, is too great."
This is another illustration of the profound philosophical intellect of Calhoun. He was not content to go along blindly, but he must first see things, and then see the reason of them. How many persons, farmers or others, would have thought of this and realized that the tenderness of the cotton plant is a blessing because a hardy plant would not easily be removed from the soil? It has been said that Calhoun was the best farmer in South Carolina. He certainly was a close observer .- Columbia State (Dem.)

FWINKLINGS

- "Oh!" exclaimed the fair summer boarder as a couple of calves scampered across the meadow, "what pretty little cowlets." "Yew air mistaken, ma'am," said the old farmer, "them's bullets."—Chicago

- "I heard her boasting that her dinner party was a success from the in." beginning, and ended with the greatest 'eclaw.' What's 'eclaw,' anyway?" "Why-er-that was the dessert, of course. Didn't you ever eat a 'chocolate eclaw?"—Philadelphia Press.

- "Do you think, my dear, when we are married you will be able to assume the resonsibilities of a housekeeper? We won't be able to afford a cook, you know." "O, yes, George. Why, I know three different ways of making fudge."-Bos-

- "What's troubling you?" he asked after the ship had put out to sea and their native shore was beginning to fade in the distance. just know," she sadly replied, "that this freedom from care can't last. I'm sure to remember something pretty soon that I forgot."- Chicago Record-Herald.

- "That Summer boarder caught some fish this morning," said Mrs. Corntossell. "Says he threw his line into a school of 'em." "Any fish that was foolish enough to let him catch 'em didn't belong to a school," rejoined her husband. "That must have been an asylum. - Washington Star.

- The proprietor of the theatre had died suddenly. "Of course we must do something to show proper respect," remarked the treasuser. "Certainly," returned the manager. "Shall we close the theatre for a night or two?" "No-o. Business is too good. I guess we'd better put the chorus in black tights for about thirty days." - Chicago Even-

STANDARD OIL BARGE

Reported Ashore on the Jersey Coast With No One on Board. By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—The Old Do minion Line steamer Princess Anne, from Newport News and Norfolk, which arrived here to-day, reports when off Seagirt, N. J., passed the steamer Colonel Drake, from Port Arthur, Texas, towing the Standard Oil barge No. 91. The captain of the steamer signalled that the barge had sprung a leak and he wished to be reported. The steamer with the barge n tow left Port Arthur Aug. 19 for

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 29.— Standard Oil barge No. 91 came ashore to night near Little Beach life saving station with no one on board and with out any cargo.

NEW YORK BANKS.

Statement of Glearing House Averages for the Past Week.

By Telegraph to the Moraing Star NEW YORK, Aug. 29.-The statement of averages of the clearing Charging Captain Lane, of the Schooner

house banks of this city for the week Loans \$923,111,500, increase \$5,166,-600. Deposits \$920,123,900, increase \$6,341,900. Circulation \$43,918,400, decrease \$49,600. Legal tenders \$75,-711,000, increase \$386,400. Specie

\$174,997,900, increase \$818,700. Reserve \$250,708,900, increase \$1,205,100; reserve required \$230,030,975, increase \$1,585,475. Surplus \$20,677,925, decrease \$380,875. Ex-U. S. deposits \$29,997,875, decrease \$377,675.

Rod Oliver, president of the recently suspended Citizens' National Bank, Beaumont, Texas, has made a general assignment. No statement was filed.

Mr. Oliver is believed to be wealthy.

He is the president of four other banks,
all of which have been closed since the failure at Beaumont.

We see it stated that 47 rabbits which had been infected with germs of smallpox, tetanus, tuberculosis or hydrophobia in the Bacteriological Institute of Madrid have been stolen and the inhabitants of the city are in a panic from fear that these infected rabbits are in the cellars or in their

A GAME FOR LIFE

Two Union officers, prisoners of war, erate officer approached with a paper

in his hand and spoke to them. "Captains Ward and Greenway, I am ordered to select one of you to be shot in retallation for a Confederate of the same rank recently shot by the Federals at Murfreesboro under the false accusation of being a spy. Since you both come under the order you must draw lots to determine which shall suffer death."

The prisoners paied at this grim an-"We have cards here," said the older

man, Ward. "Let us play a game of "Make it a rubber," said the Confed-

"Barton," said the younger man,

"this is terrible." "It is only death," replied the other "which we often face in another form." Barton Ward dealt the cards, and the game began. The first game he lost by a point; the second he won by a point; the third he lost badly.

"Are you satisfied with the outcome?"

asked the man in gray. "I am."

The two Union officers embraced with emotion. As Barton Ward passed out of the fall yard to a file of soldiers standing in the street his conductor

"Why did you give him the first and last games? Because he is idolized by his mothr, whom I revere, and his sister. whom I love. In his death three would suffer; in mine, but one."

"Sergeant," said the Confederate, march your men and the prisoner to When the party arrived the officer

entered the general's tent. The commander was sitting before a pine table with a scowl on his face. Turning he "Who are you and what do you

want? "I am Major Carnes and I wish your authority to insert the name of Captain Barton Ward on the order for

the shooting of a Federal captain in retaliation for our Captain Stanbury." At that moment a mounted officer on a foaming horse dashed up to the tent and called: "General, the enemy has possession of the gaps."

the chief of staff I wish to see him immediately." Then to those about him: "We are flanked. We must get out of Tullahoma tonight." "The order, general," said the major. "I cannot obey it unless the name of

"Orderly," shouted the general, "tell

the officer to be shot is properly filled The chief of staff hurried into the

"What shall I do, general?" the major persisted. "Get away from here, or I will have you shot in place of the prisoner. I

have no time for such matters." Early the next morning the Union advance guard, pressing down the road to Tullahoma, passing hastily thrown up defenses, finally came to the main fortifications, behind which the Confederates had expected to defend the town, and found them deserted. Pressing on, they came upon the rear guard of the Confederate army and captured a body of men, among them the Union prisoners who had been in jail at Tullahoma. Major Carnes, who had charge of them, found the tables turned. Yesterday be was a jailer;

"Captain," he said to Burton Ward,

now he was a prisoner.

"I congratulate you." "Major," returned Ward, "I trust that hereafter when you are ordered to shoot Union prisoners, you will be as particular in the drawing of your order as you have been in this case." Captain Ward made it his especial business to see that the man who had so nearly acted as his executioner should be treated with every kindness. Carnes remained a prisoner for some months, during which time he learned from Henry Greenway that Captain Ward was a rejected sultor for the hand of Greenway's sister, Alice. Carnes said nothing about having noticed that Ward had purposely lost the games which had been played, with life for the stake, and when he was exchanged the secret went south with

him undivulged. In the spring of 1865 the war was ended, and the Union armies marched home. Barton Ward met Alice Greenway; she relented and consented to be his wife. The wedding had taken place, and the bride and groom departed in the usual shower of rice. The same evening when they were alone the young wife said to her husband: "Barton, why do you suppose I mar-

ried you?" "Because you loved me," said the groom, starting at the strangeness of the question.

"I love you truly, but there is a reason why I would have married you even if I did not love you." "And that is?"

She handed him a letter: Petersburg, Va., March 3, 1865.

played a game of euchre with life the stakes, Ward purposely gave Greenway the game. When I asked him why he did so, he said, "Because he is idolized by his mother, whom I revere, and his sister, whom I love."

A pained look settled on the hus

"Are you sure that this is not grati tude rather than love?" he asked. "I am sure it is love, for no woman could learn of such a noble act in a man without loving him."

JOHN TURNER WYETH. WARRANTS WITHDRAWN

Massachusetts With Abduction.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NORFOLK, VA., Aug. 29.-The mother of Blanche Montgomery today declared her daughter had her consent to go to New York on the schooner Massachusetts, and warrants charging Captain Nicholas Lane of the vessel with abducting the Montgomery girl and a companion, Hattie Storey, sworn out by the girls' fathers, were withdrawn. The New York police have been wired to arrest the captain on his arrival in New

A shifting engine collided with a work train on the Norfolk and West ern railway near Chilhowie yesterday. resulting in the death of Flagman Paups and the serious injury of Con-ductor Leaman, of the work train.

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HOW ENGINEER RICHARDSON MAY FLOAT BATTLESHIP.

Ingenious Plan Devised to Lift Ships From Ocean's Bed-Sunken Spanish Cruisers May Also Be Raised and

Unless the plans of the engineers are all awry the wreck of the battleship Maine, which has lain in the mud at the bottom of Havana harbor since Feb. 15, 1898, will be raised from its ignoble bed and once more breast the curling wave.

The plans, which are now complete, are the result of constant study since the Spanish war by Mr. George Richardson of Chicago, an engineer of ex-perience. The scheme itself is simple, although it involves a great deal of labor and will require three months to be put into execution. But before any, thing further can be done it will be necessary to secure the consent of the government.

At the next session of congress the United States will be asked to release its ownership in the sunken vessel and also to turn over to Mr. Richardson the Spanish ships that lie beneath the waters off the southern coast of Cuba. If congress will grant the privilege, work will be at once begun by Mr. Richardson on one of the sunken Spanish ships, as he thinks they can most easily be raised. It is his intention, however, to raise all the ships if his plan will work

In beginning the work several rows of piles will be sunk parallel to each side of the wreck. These piles will rest on the hardpan and will project several feet above the water. Upon the piles will be built platforms capable of sustaining great weight, and upon the platforms will be set hydraulic jacks.

The ingenious part of the scheme, however, is not in this part of the proposed work but in the method of plac ing the cables beneath the wrecks. The principal part of the device for running the cables under the sunken ships consists merely of hollow steel tubes ten inches or more in diameter. These tubes, each section of which is about six feet long, will serve as a spout through which a jet of water is to be forced. In the beginning the tubes will



be only long enough to reach the mud bottom. Great pumps will force the water through them, driving away the soft deposit. As the water digs into the mud the tubes will be extended by the addition of other sections.

These tubes incline at an angle of forty-five degrees, and there will be 184 of them on each side of the ship. Their location must be so nicely calculated that when they are forced through the mud they will join at right angles beneath the keel of the sunken vessel. When the tubes from opposite sides meet, the pumps on only one side will be kept working. A wooden sphere slightly smaller than the bore of the tubes will then be forced under the vessel through the connected tubes. To this wooden sphere will be fastened a cord. This cord will be used to draw a rope and the rope to draw through a cable. When this is repeated 184 times and the cables are strung under the ship from stem to stern, both ends of the cables will be fastened to the hydraulic jacks.

The raising of the ship then becomes simple task, according to Mr. Richardson. The jacks will draw the cables taut and thus gradually raise the wreck above the surface of the water. Once above the water the vessel will be buoyed by airtight casks sufficient in number to support if. It can then be towed to a dockyard in this country and repaired.

It was with the idea of raising the Maine that the inventor set about to find a method to that end, but now that he believes he has solved the problem he intends to raise all the Spanish war wrecks along the Cuban coast. Many expert engineers and wreckage men to whom the scheme has been submitted believe it is practicable. All that is now necessary is Uncle Sam's permission to begin work.

The entire expense of the work will be borne by the inventor, who hopes to be reimbursed by the exhibition and sale of the ships. So confident is Mr. Richardson in the success of his plan that he fully expects to have one or more of the ships up next summer. So the ill fated Maine after her years of repose in Cuban mud may once more gladden the hearts of the patriotic, fully restored to her original strength and usefulness.

"Hurry Up" Lacking. Almost the first words which Italians learn in coming to this country are "Hurry up!" and this also expresses the first idea which they glean from their new environment. A young Italian who has been in this country just six months found, when he welcomed a younger brother at the end of that time, that there was already a slight difference in their point of view. In deprecating his brother's shortcomings to a friend he remarked: "I see my brother ees too much Italian. I see ees not 'nuit hurry up."-

New York Times. A Palpable Slander. Mrs. Cobwigger (at the opera) -There's that Mrs. Lowcutte in the box to the right. I think her gown is per-

fectly indecent. Mrs. Malaprop-So it is, my dear. But what lies are told about her! Her husband once said that every cent he could scrape together she put on her back!-New York Herald.

Lady (to pretty applicant) — Yes, I want a cook. But why did you leave your last place? Applicant-B-because the head of the house kissed me, ma'am.

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Cleveland Plain Dealer.

One of the big farce comedy successes of the present season has been "Looping the Loop."

The Australian tour of "Way Down East" has been postponed. The play will be given in London first. George H. Brondhurst has been commissioned to dramatize Winston

THINGS THEATRICAL.

George Ade is writing a comedy

Clyde Fitch has sailed for Europe

Mr. and Mrs. Kendal have brought

out a new play in Liverpool entitled

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Drouet sail for

Europe in May to spend the summer

and will be abroad until October.

called "The Circuit Judge."

Next season Paul Gilmore will appear in John Drew's great success of Humming Bird."

David Warfield's season in "The Auctioneer" has been one of such extraordinary success that his tour has been extended to June 1.

A FIGHTING PARSON. Bishop Moore, Head of the Methodist

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And every window in the house

want-now, let me see-ah, yes

1 want the parlor small, With room for chairs, a sofa and

I want the kitchen fixed just so;

With places for the kitchen ware

A back room where, in thinking mood,

-Baltimore News.

And when I've thought my diagram

I want it trim and neat,

And coolers for the meat.

To be my very own-

I'll meditate alone.

I want a middle room upstairs

All out and nicely filled it

To undertake to build it.

Must be set good and tight.

A dining room that's light,

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WEEKLY STAR.

"One People."

in Switzerland

Church In Eastern Asia Bishop David H. Moore, LL. D., of the Methodist Episcopal church, who has just sailed from San Francisco after a brief vacation in this country to resume his duties as head of the diocese of eastern Asia, has already spent two years in the orient. When Bishop Moore was sent in 1900

to take charge of the diocese of eastern Asia, which jurisdiction includes China. Japan and Korea, he had just been elected to the episcopate, and his selection for that important post-a post that required the exercise of great personal courage as well as much tact and diplomacy-was a compliment that had never before been paid to a Methodist bishop so young in office. Bishop Moore is a native of Ohio and is a fine type of the soldier of the



BISHOP DAVID H. MOORE, LL. D. church militant. He served throughout the civil war as a soldier in the Union army. He volunteered as a private and almost immediately was elected captain in the Eighty-seventh Ohio infailtry. Taken prisoner at Harpers Ferry, he was soon afterward exchanged and assisted in raising the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Ohio infantry, of which he became lieutenant colonel. After the fall of Atlanta he resigned from the army and returned to the pulpit. Since that time Bishop Moore has steadily grown in

importance in the church. Bishop Moore has had many exciting adventures in all three of the countries in his jurisdiction. While making a visit to Korea with a party of friends they came near meeting death at the hands of some Korean coolies, who mistook them for Russians. The attack was most furious, but the party defended themselves with the modern weapons in their possession until they were finally rescued by members of the Japanese consulate. A number of the coolies were later tried and punished by the Korean government.

During the Boxer uprising Bishop Moore had many thrilling experiences, but the Chinese found that in dealing with him they had a genuine American "fighting parson" to consider The bishop is sixty-five years old.

How Could He? Teacher - Johnny, can you spell Johnny-No'm Teacher-Well, then, come up to my

desk and look it up in the dictionard. Johnny-If I can't spell it, how shall find it?-New York Times. Not Up to the Predictions. "Well, is married life all that it is painted?" asked the girl. "Not quite." replied the bride, with

what her friend later declared she was almost sure was a sigh. "We've been married three months now, and during that time Jack has spent but four evenings at the club."-Syracuse Herald. Of Real Interest. "Yes; I explained the whole theory of

"She said: 'George, can you remem-

the new discovery to my wife."

"And what did she say?"

ber whom the Sourfield girl married? I've been trying all day to think of his name." "-- Cleveland Plain Dealer. To Cure a Cold in One Day Cures Grip

in Two Days.

Churchill's book, "The Celebrity," for J. K. Hackett. this season, "The Mummy and the

THE WRITERS. After long silence Miss Braddon, who

is now an old lady, is about to bring out a new novel. Mrs. Mary Wilkins-Freeman has gone back to her maiden name in writing will have her name as simply Mary E. Wilkins on the title page.

It appears that Lady Helen Forbes, the novelist, is a real person-the only sister of Lord Craven, Mr. Bradley Martin's son-in-law. She is the wife of Captain Forbes, who has seen service in South Africa. Ibsen has just celebrated his seventy-

fifth birthday-not publicly, however, as his physicians forbade it. The poet can't take any active exercise, but he drives out every day with the young doctor, who never leaves him. He reads a little every day and likes to talk, but never writes even the shortest letter.

LAW POINTS.

To add to a canceled check the words "In full of account to date," with intent to alter its effect as a receipt, is held in Gordon versus Com. (Va.), 57 L. R. A. 744, to constitute forgery. The title to accretions is held in De Lassus versus Faherty (Mo.), 58 L. R. A. 193, not to be lost by the fact that a stream changes its course and forcing its way through the newly formed land cuts the portion in controversy off

from the main land.

The owner of land adjoining a highway is held in Franklin versus Durgee (N. H.), 58 L. R. A. 112, to have no right to fill depressions in his land which are natural outlets to drain the water from the highway if the effect will be to cast the water back on to the highway and injure it.

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DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Mrs. Jennie Buisineau of Lancaster, Mass., is 105 years old and still active. She has seen eight of her fourteen children die of old age.

Mrs. Julius S. Brown of Atlanta, Ga., unaided has secured pledges from 2,000 Georgia women that in future they will use on their hats no wings or otherplumage of wild birds. Mrs. Oliva Toffey Worden, widow of

Admiral John L. Worden, who commanded the Monitor in the engagement with the Merrimac in the civil war, has just died at Lakewood, N. J. Mrs. Robert J. Burdette sees in wom-

en's clubs a fruitful source of divorces and in women's love of jewelry and social shining the cause that sends men behind prison bars for embezzlement. Miss Elise Reasoner has been appointed eastern press representative of the St. Louis exposition in place of the late Julian Ralph. Originally Miss Reasoner was Mr. Ralph's assistant. She is a native of Leavenworth, Kan.

Miss Elizabeth Yeats, a sister of the Irish poet of that name, has started in Ireland a "Dun Emer Press," in which she is attempting to rival the Kelmscott work. Paper made of pure linen has been procured from Irish mills, and Miss Yeats is doing her own printing with the help of an apprentice. "Americans who have married Eng-

lishmen," says Lady Randolph Churchill (Mrs. West), herself a Jerome of New York, "are in no whit behind their English sisters in political work, and their successful co-operation must be a proof of what they could do in their own country had they the same opportunities."

GOWN GOSSIP.

"Celestial blue" is the name of the newest of the tints of this fashionable

The deep rich yellow lace straws and fancy basket braids so fashionable two years ago are revived. Pointed girdles are in great demand

now that the extreme dip has been removed from the front of the waist. Ribbons will be extensively used next season. All stylish gowns will have ribbon in some form on the bodice at

Fine white French flannel striped with a hair line of color is a material which will be widely used for outing suits next season. It is again to be what is called a

"milliners' season," when, if she likes, the customer can select her braid and have her hat hand made into any shape she may prefer. Skirts of pique, linen duck, crash and butchers' linen of heavy weave for beach and mountain wear are all made

instep length, with a close effect about the hips and a graceful but not decided flare below the knees.-New York Post.

JEWELRY JOTTINGS. A large hoop of rubies and diamonds

is among handsome ring styles. Handsome diamond slides are provided for diamond throat bands. Renaissance designs in banquet rings employ a multitude of small diamonds. Wide collars of many rows of coral bends are enriched with a central

plaque and slides of brilliants. One of the newest and handsome exploitations of the fashionable ribbon bow motif is in an imposing diamond A bracelet that illustrates the fad for

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