

mines owned by it. "Yee," said he, "I should say I do. Their best mine, your know, is the guena Vita. It pays almost all the profits of the Isabella Company. Its weins has been traced for three thou-sand feet, and it has already produced more than \$100,000 worth of gold. I had a chance to buy half of that mine for \$100, and did not take it. A man in my enaploy discovered it. He was one of there fellows who are always in my enaploy discovered if. Ho was one of these fellows who are always hard up, and one day he came to mo a one-cighth interest in the Auchora a une-cighth interest in the Auchora Leland mine for \$500, but had not the newsy a number of chains which he had nerve to huy. Tais is the mine out of on Gold Hill, and some of these claims a thread of \$500 but had not the nerve to huy. and told me that his family were out of provisions, and that he must have money. He spoke of the Buena Vieta prospect and offered me a half interest in it for \$100. I told him that I would give him the provisions, but I did not be-want the mine. I said I did not be-these there was any gold in the Cripple want the mine. I shill I did not be-lieve there was any gold in the Cripple Creek region. The result was that he went away and sold the interest to other parties sold their half interest for \$20;. parties sold their half interest for \$20;. The solution of the base has now expired. Maloney struck "pay dirt" as soon as he began working. He found one body of ore of 1000 pounds which yielded him \$30,000, and he has taken out, I am the solution of result of recent analyses show

colored people, and their secret of success is to handle it as little as possible, and to serve it from the dish in which it was cooked, thus preserving its native juices at J aromas,

Ou the terrapin farms of the Chesapeake a peculiar sport is indulged in than they do of their own country. by the men, called "terrapin racing. The turtles are let loose in a large toom, where at oue end a het fire is blacing, protected by a goard. They Paris estimaton that during the last summer Americans have left \$100,000, all begin a scratuble for the light and 000 in gold in Europe, and there is warmth, the men betting on particular ones. They have no continuity of every teason to belt we that this enerpurpose, and are likely to branch off mous expenditure will continue to increase in the future. in a dozen devious soutes, but the terrapia that first puts its nose against How Comstock Lode Was Discovered. the fire guard wins the race. In January, 1859, a streak of warm Terrapin are rated according to weather tempting some of them ont, their value with a family peligreotag. Comstock, "Old Virguna," and sevwhich simply gives the name of the eral others found "surface diggings" state whence they come. First on the near "Suppery Gulch." They named list for its ferrapin is Chesapeake Bay. the place "Gold Hul," and, stding Next comes Long Island. Then Virout claims, proceeded to work the deginia, Charleston and Savannao, composed outeroppings over Grown Forida, Mobile and the gulf follow. Point, Vellow Jacket, Belcher, Ken-Mississippi and North Carolina and tuck, and other great mines as yet un other points south furnish excellent discovered. From the time they terrapin.

to our European counts. Not only are there flourishing American colo-

nies in the larger cities of Europe but they are found in its most remain cornorgeo that many of them return home knowing much more of the Old World

The Chinese school children have instilled into them at an carly age habits of hard, steady study, says an exchange. At the aga of five a boy begins his schooling. At daybreak he rises and, after dreasing as quickly as possible, he starts break-

cold at you like everything but their Hart is in the Wright Plaies and once I found a Auts nest in the woods I poked it with a stick and a Million Ants run out after me and Crawled up Insido my Pants and Bitme like Sixty. Auts nests are good Things not to Poko with a stick Ants are very In-

I forgot to say that my Ant Martha lives in Main she has a boy of Just about my Aige and He can stand on his Hed Five minits and how Do you

I Do not think of Annything more

Kisawa volunteered to send two men with me to Kasembi's. Did not suggest any pay; told off two of his young warriors, and gave them in tructions; they clapped their hands after each sentence to signify their accontance of his instructions. Two thers came of their own accord; the only baggage of one was two sticks, you each of which were threaded four dry rous of fruit, which rattle-The youth owning this property has long hair plaited into ropes, which fall to his neek, and form a access to his eyes. He is constantly keeping the rattle going, and singing (principally about mei in a most flattering mann-1, in which performance his friend joins; but the latter confines himself to singing; he has other use for his hand-, which carry two bushets full of manice flour, a baught pipe and space rattles. For the first hour they staye ! atmy heels. All the time they kept up the rattling and singing, and told me it was what they came for, and that we reached Kasembi, four or five days off. I spoke to them firmly, but kindly told them their music was extanea to be properly suppyed. The distance I pointed out was about ten miles away. My musical friends took the hint good nature lly, but at times they break out into their beisterous

A boy who lives on a big vegetable farm just south of Checago' is born to be a great inventor. There isn't a

But, unfortunately, there were certam small birds in the neighborhood that were as well pleased with the tomatoes as was the farmer. And whenever the mon's backs were turned down would come those birds in a fastless to school. He is given a task perfect scarm and begin to peck into the rine red frait. If they had con tented themselves with eating up a few big tomatoes it wouldn't have made so much difference, but they pecked into dozens of them, and when a tomato has so much as one little hole in it it won't will. All this was very provoking to the farmer, but our boy found a reinedy. It happened that he has a lively little black dog that was very foud of chasing chickens, and he knew that if he could be kept in the garlen there wouldu't be any more trouble from birds. So our loy went out and drove two stant stakes forty or fifty feet apartness the tomato hid, and between them he stretched a stout wire, on which he had frat threaded a small ring. At one state he placed an coupty box for a kennel, and then he tied the little black dog to the ring. The next time the swarm of birds came for the tomatoes that hitle dog ran out and chased them the whole length of his wire, and he kept right at it until they didn't dare to come back. Lots of times he would have liked to run away to the house, but the wire held him straight to business,

\$40,000 for his share. The Isabella \$40,000 for his share. The base solution gold. Had Dr. actionant have made the mine his \$500 would have made him independent of drug slores and has paid \$100,000 within a month it patients for the rest of his life.

value is worth more than a million. It has paid \$100,000 within a month it dividends, and I could have cotten one-half of it for \$100. Oh, Lord ! it makes me sick when I think of it!" The Independence gold mine is said to be the richest in the world. It has, it is said, from five to seven million dollars' worth of gold in sight, and its exercised as a carpenter five years ago, would not now sell it for \$10,000,000 cash. And still the Independence has sev longs to Stratton and others. It was located by an old carpenter named And still the Independence has sev Sterritt, Sterritt had heard of Strat-And still the Independence has the eral times been offered for sale and the offer refused. This was in the first ton was a carpenter, so he thought for was a carpenter, so he thought offer reload, this of Dave the luck was running with the carpen-days of its history. One of Dave the luck was running with the carpen-ter trade he would drop his saw and plane and go to mining. He was about sixty years of age, and he knew

"It was several years ago, before the nothing about ore or prospecting. He Cripple Creek region was much devel-oped that I came there from Leadville aimless manner, breaking up a piece bit of to see what I could find for Moffat. of stone here and chipping off a to see what I could find for Moßat. Eben Smith was with mo, and we bought the Victor mine for \$65,000, Hill, back of Crippie Creek, he saw and have, as you know, made about a million out of it. Well, one day I was walking about Stratton's mine, when I saw a miner whom I know he was to dig there for gold. He at showelling out ore and rock. I asked him whether the mine was worth any-thing. He said that he did not think that it was worth much, and that that it was worth much, and that and he was compelled to do all the Stratton would never get anything work himself. He day a ten foot hole, -er-a is but of it. I went into the building, and then making a rule ladder, he however, and chipped off a bit of the went down with a bucket and laber-sudden!

told, more than \$100,000 worth of gold. Had Dr. McDona'd invested in that the loss of weight suffered by coal from exposure to the weather is considerable. In some cases it reache 33.08 per cent., while the deteriors

tion in quality for purposes of fuel or gas making reached a still higher figure, -Boston Budget.



"How would you like to own a er-a little puppy?" Sha-"Ob, Mr. Softly, this is so

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Eighty dollars a dozen is not con a spring close by, Gold Hull averaged aidered high for choice terrapin at twenty dollars a day to the man. June earthin measure and on special ocen 1st, O'Riley and McLaughlin, whose sions. A modest housekeeper saw one crawling over some lobsters in a fish market, and out of curiosity inquired the price. on the surface of Ophir, at the north

"What time is it?" asked the mar ket man, looking at his watch. "You may have it for \$3, but if it was (o'clock torucht and I only had that one I should have to charge you more. I expect some in any moment."- Detroit Free Press.

Oue on Mamma.

"Papa, what does teacher mean by saying I must have inherited my bal temper?"

"She means, Fannie, that you are your mother's own girl."-Texas Seff-

any prespect that the and after it is completed he is allowed preference of Americans for Europe an hour for breakfest. Again, later, will die out. The Pathy Messenger of he has an hour for luurheou, but he is at his study nearly twelve hours a lay, seven days in the week, All this time when he is not reciting

his lessons he is studying aloud at the top of his voice. He is under the eve of his mester both m school and on his way to and from school. The lad is taught radimentary astronomy, physies and natural history, but greater stress is put upon writing and hi-

literary studies. "A Thousand Letters," e. poem, is the study that forms the backbone of his literary education. In it are tanght the duties of children to parents and all such matters. Whatever the study may be-history, classics or science-every lesson is learned and started the rockers, using water from repeated word for word.

A BOUN COMPOSITION.

In a public school in New England elatin in Six M l= Uanon paid the teacher thought she would give only two or three dollars a day, out natural history subjects as subsuddenly cut into the rock jects for composition. In this way she teaches them English orthography end of the Comstock, and began to and natural history all at once. The common place subject of "Ants" was

dollars a day. They had only been given to a bright boy who said ha happened elong, saw the value of the of his efforts : discovery, laid a general floating claim to a mythical stock ranch in the Ante, My ant Mary Jone is one of

region, and fairly blaffed the goodthese kind. She is genily good unnatured discoverer into taking himsel? tured and when she comes to see My and Manny Penrod as equal partners. Mother she brings me five cents worth he has ever done any work for as In-"Kentuck" Osborne alterward came of penuts and tells me Why James dian, or had ever known of an Indian

Poor Lo at the Deutist's.

"An Indian came to my office and working a few hours when Comstock knew all about it. This is the result had a tooth filled and another extracted," said a Waterxille Maina "Auts"-There is many kinds of dentist. This dets' a went on to say that he had been practicing dentistry for over thirty years, and this is the first true in all his experiences in, and the five took up the original how you've growed, but when I go having anything done to his teeth -

Seissee Monthly.

Ophir claim. -Appletons' Popula, and see her and dout only just wawlh Boston Herald.

take out gold at the rate of a thousand