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There is in Bydney, Australia, an anci nt spinster of 105. She has smoked for lifty years.

Thomas Wilkinson, of Vernon, N. Y., has a beard five feet long, which he wears tucked under his yest. A man can hire a home in Japan, keep two servants and live on the fat of the land, all for a little over \$20 a

Wood workers are using naphtha line as a wood preservative. It is said to leave the wood dry, and with only a faint aromatic otor.

The sultan never uses a plate, but takes his food usually with a spoon or his fingers directly from the little ket thes in which it is cooked.

Sir William Pearce, the great Eng-lish ship huilder, loft an estate valued at \$5,230,000. The property will be divided between his widow and son.

It is asserted that most of the mem-bers of the English parliament after from dyapepsia. Long sittings and the irregular sessions of the house is the cause

The Grand Duke Alexis, brother of the czar of Russia, is one of the best patrons of the Parisian cafes and sing ing gardens. He is exceedingly democratic in his manner and mixes freely with the Parisian pleasure sectors. Mrs. Mary Lowe Dickenson carries the responsibility of two positions at the Denver university. She holds the full professorship in literature. or, more properly, belies lettres, as her work includes more than literature or language, and she also has the direc-tion of the women's work in the uni

versity Two young women of Sacramento went huckleberrying near Bollinas. where they were spending a few weeks, and a big brown bear came

into the patch and endeavored to mo nopolize it. One of the girls had a small ride, and, finding that either they or the bear must go, took careful aim and put a builtet through the

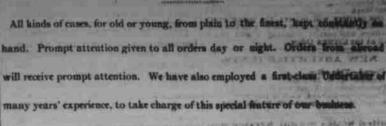
A sigeon fancier of Westphalia bet that a dozen bees liberated three miles from their hive would reach it in bet ter time than a dozen pircous would reach their cote from the same dis tance. The first bee beat the first pigeen by a quarter of a minute, and three other bees reached the goal be fore he second pigeou.

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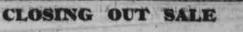
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on all the year round. I tried it some the Agricultural society of Pennsylyears ago, and at first I saw no change vania is actively engaged in spreading the facts before the people. The estab-lishment of "schools of forestry," in accordance with the plan that has worked so admirably in Germany, is earnestly recommended, together with in my size or waist measurement, but suddenly I noticed Leould for button the wairtband, and I moved the but tons, Before three mouths passed moved the buttons four times other measures all tending to further the end in view. On one point all au-thoritics seem agreed-that it is unwise to hand the timber resources of a

which they flow. No protitable mill-

ing could be done where the water

course was a torrent during one-fourth

vania, The report of the New York

country over to private parties, leav-ing them independent of all government control. At one time this state owned every acre of the Adirondack region, but this noble domain was given away with a recklessness that is marcely oredible, and what it now possesses it has gained through tax

sales, while its titles are thus of the most precarious character, the land speculators being engaged in a constant struggle to procure a cancella-tion of the sale. The wholesale pur-chase of forest lands from individual

owners is urged by the commission, to remedy this state of things, and to prevent the stock of timber state from the being too largely depleted. From: Ledie's Newspaper.

The Duchess' Underclothing.

When the duke and duchess of Edinburgh went to Greece it was dis covered, on arriving at Athens, that a number of Garden and Forest this rose trunk containing certain indispensable articles of attire, to wit undercloth-ing belonging to the duchess had been left behind at Malta. A telegram or dering the said trank to be sent by the next day's steamer would have been

the chapest and readiest way of ob-tailing it, but the duke of Edinburgh actually dispatched one of the venecia of his squadron all the way to Malta to bring back the trunk and its contents This trap of her majesty's ship must have involved a cost to the tax payer of some hundreds of pounds. The

transaction is altogether a scandalous one. London Truth. land ( roses. Popular Science News.

Electric Condensation of Steam. A variation of Dr. O. J. Lodge's ex-periments on the electric deposition of dust has been tried by M. Boret, of Geneva. Steam submitted to electric discharges was instantly precipitated; and when the pole of the electric ma-chine was sufficiently near the surface of the water—the other pole being at tached to the platinum cup used for the boiling—the steam was condensed as rapidly as formed, presenting the anomaly of steamless boiling water.— Arkansaw Traveler.

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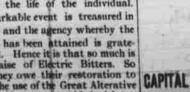
wear the flannel, and you see the size of my girth. I am not at all uncom-fertable, and I can say truly I have not been duiled through since I put on the band. The extra covering over where you attend the sales of your own tobacco, or have it sold in a few days after shipment the stomach causes a great internal heat, which is carried by the blood to all parts of the body, and this heat aids digestion, and altogether I think the woolder waistband solves the question d&wtapr12 of dyspepsia and indigestion. As for cold feet and corns, I promise you that if you scrub your feet in cold water every night before going to bed for sixty days your feet will not bother you further, and not only that, but you will have to get a shoe a size smaller than you had been wearing, if not two We not only give the purchaser the best Roofing Plates, but we protect | sizes smaller. Try it and let me know -Letter Carrier in Globe-Democrat. A New Rose. A new and interesting variety of rese, the Rosa beggerriana, var. gen-uina, the wild rose from central Asia, has recently been discovered and in

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