Monday Evening, October 23, 1893.

UNIOUS FOR DUELS.

A Calet Spot Where Frenchme Sattle Affairs of Honor.

The Island of La Grande Jatte and I ingular Restaurant-The Scene of Battles Between Women.

been doing the proud honor business They satisfied their outraged feelings pistols at each other. The other brace of noblemen had a set-to with swords on the island of La Grande Jatte, and one of the furious lot got an ugly thrust. On the following day there were two encounters between journalists, during which pistols and swords were used with vicious inten-

A few days ago, writes l'aris cor friend, some shampoo powder and emerged respondent, I, accompani in the thrilled at their wickedness. went to a famous rest Island of La Grande da posite they remembered a certain lady Courbevole, where most of the duels specialist who has the power of conthat take place near Parisare fought. I was quick to take advantage of the a monetary consideration and breathwaiter's surmise that the pair had lessly tore into her office, where they come to arrange for a tilt and in conse- sat in chairs and had their complexions quence the landlord was summoned. This proprietor is a jovial individual had always labored under the impres and has just turned his fifty years. He welcomed us most genially, and exclaimed:

"Ohl so a duel! Well, there is the their feelings, so they gained the ground, behind the swings; twenty street in a subdued frame of mind and meters of splendid ground, quite wondered how people could bear to smooth and hard. Beautiful trees and look at two such homely girls. After shrubs; plenty of shade; quite quiet that they hilariously sought a cheap and private, you see. Over there on store and shuddered with joy at the the quay, bordering the narrow branch plebeian cheap salesman who officiousof the Seine, is where the carriages ly urged things upon them. Then they stop. M. Dehaynin and M. Jacques weighed themselves and went home, stop. M. Dehaynin and M. Jacques Lebaudy fought here only the other absolutely speechless with rapture. day. M. Lebaudy received three cen-They think they had a riotous time timeters of steel in the middle of the and nod understandingly when people chest. Would you like more open sigh over the way morals are degenerground? Here you have it. ating in these days.

"Last month there was an exciting affair on this very spot. A duel be tween ladies, and smart ones, too, I tween ladies, and smart ones, too, I can tell you. They were actresses, been born who was not attacked with Love was the cause of the dispute and wild ambition in this fascinating line. they fought like tigresses. Upon my word, you would have thought they acquaintance who at times, when a lot were mad. The seconds were elderly of girls are telling ghost stories, with gentlemen, both decorated and evidently rich. The girls were naked to shricking around the windows, relates the waist and wore full riding breeches. One of them had her breast pierced three times before she would give in." a real dime museum. Upon being asked if he witnessed

these duels the urbane proprietor somewhat reproachfully answered: "Most absolute solitude reigns here on those occasions. All the doors are bolted and the walters are shut up in the cafe. I remain near at hand -ov hind one of the bushes, for example-to give assistance if needed. My clients need bring nothing with them but I supply everything, ex-L supply everything, excourse. Two salad bowls full of car three gentleman on the summit of this bolic acid and water to wash the wounds, bandages, lint, cotton-woolin fact, all that is required for the first dressing. In a word, you are just as Between six and seven o'clock in the

comfortable as if you were at home "The ground I have just pointed out southwest) the fog suddenly cleared in to you would not do on a rainy day. In bad weather these affairs are settled in the ballroom, which has a beautiful the rifts. We mounted to the flagstaff smooth, even flooring, as you will see. Just like a salle d'armes. It was there that the Mores-Meyer duel was fought. In the fog. in an easterly direction, a M. Clemenceau, who is one of my best customers, will never fight anywhere clse. He was here a few weeks ago to clse. He was here a few weeks ago to thirty feet distant from us. In the settle an affair with a deputy, but the middle of this we all appeared as black, commissary of police arrived upon the scene. In such an eventuality, every-

TOLD BY A SOCIETY GIRL. Mild Sprees That Appear to Her in the Light of Demoniac Tears.

readful!"

he Turtle Took a Direct Route for Home -Experiments with Bees. A couple of girls met down town the An interesting experiment was tried other day, and both at the same time by a Maine farmer's family not long

exclaimed: "Say! Let's do something since with a mud turtle which had been brought to the house from a small They thereupon rapturously resolved pond a quarter of a mile away, says to break away from conventionality's the Lewiston (Me.) Journal. It was

bonds, swear eternal secrecy and do noticed that when set free the reptile omething daring. They couldn't traveled off in the direction of the Several Frenchmen have recently quite decide what was bad enough to pond ("going back home," said one of do, says the New York Recorder, so the lads), and this led them to put him they adjourned to a soda stand to talk to the test. He was tried under a great by brandishing rapiers and firing of it over, while their guardian angels variety of circumstances which might wrung their white hands in trembling tend to confuse even a mud turtle of horror of what was to come and the uncommon mental capacity, but put girls themselves felt like awful advenhim down in whatever way they turesses. And what was it they really would, or anywhere, he would instant-

y turn his stubby nose straight for Well, they crossed the street to a the pond and walk off with every applace where some long-haired ladies pearance of one who knows he is right held forth, envied them their six-foot and intends to go ahead. He evidentlong tresses, were coldly frozen out at ly had the same instinct or supernatpresuming to question them, bought ural knowledge so often observed in pigs, dogs and cats, which will take a Then ee line for home when they could not possibly know its direction by any power of observation possessed by ferring beauty's diadem upon one for

uman beings. It may not be amiss to note in conection with the turtle incident the xperiments tried by an eminent Eng-They decried to them emphatically. ish naturalist with bees, which posess the same peculiar knowledge lirection. He took bees from their nive and carried them in a close box experience rather put a damper upon y a circuitous course to a point at a nsiderable distance away; but on libration they would start straight for he hive. After testing this repeatedy, he stopped on the way while carry ng the box, and whirled it rapidly around his head a number of times. Then when liberated the bees were onfused and flew about in various di-

rections, not knowing where to go. From this he attributed the faculty of lying straight for home to result from the keen attention paid by the bees to the direction taken while they were

eing carried away and which the whirling of the box upset completely.

BURIED IN THE SEA. Two Ancient Submerged Cities Which Have Just Been Discovered.

There is a certain young woman of my On the coast of Portugal is to be found the submerged city of Cetobriga or Troya, as the Portuguese of to-day the lights turned dim and the wind call it, and which is said to have been built by the Romans on the site of a town founded by the Phoenicians. I with unction the tale of how she and a cousin ran away one day and went to

> of the century that the city was dis covered. A fisherman pursuing his avocation along the coast was aston

PLAYING WITH AN ICEBERG.

The Remarkable Experience of Some

French Sallors.

A few years ago a French man-of-

war was lying at anchor in Temple

bay, and the younger officers took it into their heads to amuse themselves

or more they backed it and clambered

over it. They frolicked and feasted,

and laughed at the very thought of

When, like thoughtless children, the

young men had played themselves weary, they descended to the cockle-

neasured on purpose for the men to

certain distance off. Then, as if its

heart had been volcanie fire, it burst

AD English Tradition

and in its effort to escape the creature

langer on this solid ice.

AN OPTICAL PHENOMENON. shed to see the walls of houses par Peculiar Silhouettes Seen from the Top of

Oh, these maidens need looking after!

tially standing and well-paved streets a High Mountain in Telemarken. under the water of the Bay of Sines A correspondent of Nature at Chris and he soon communicated the wonder ful news to the inhabitants of Setubal. On examination they found a city in part submerged and running in toward the land. A society was formed under the protection of government to make investigations. They found that the eity had stood on a strip of land nine miles long by three wide, bounded on mountain on August 4. On the morn ing of that day the sky was passably the south by the Bay of Sines, on the clear; at noon there was a thick fog. north by the river Sado, and opposite it was Setubal. Every old record was afternoon (the wind being south to searched, and at length it was surmised that the newly-discovered city must have been Caetobrix or Cetobriga, from chance notices by old writers, but nothing was known of its history or in order to obtain a better view of the fate. Another city submerged by the scenery, and there we at once observed sea for one thousand years has just re-appeared above the waters. The town double rainbow forming a complete of Haigen, north of Ning-po, in China, circle, and seeming to be twenty to was completely overwhelmed during the Sung dynasty, and lay buried till quite recently, when the sea gradually receded and exposed the reerect and nearly life-size silhouttes. The outlines of the silhouettes were

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own price a garment, to come and inspect our immense stock of cloaks and jackets, and we are convinced if you are in need of a garment we are certainly able to please you so

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> ing, Hats and Gents' Furnishing Goods ever brought to this State, and at prices that defy competition. Yours very truly,



IO AND 12 PATTON AVENUE.

thing is prepared. As the commissary entered by one door, my customers went out by another, and did the business in Rothschild's park, where M. Clemenceau had all the time he required to put two or three inches of steel into his adversary's ribs. When M. Clemenceau is not here, others are.

"As for the fee?-oh, a mere nothing! -a couple of louis, service complete. If it were not for the refreshments, it would not repay one the trouble. When the affair does not terminate badly, the gentlemen often lunch here.

Then, in answer to a query, this accommodating host continued:

"No, it is not now customary for the duelists to shake hands and lunch together when the encounter is over.

"One of the principals lunches with his two seconds and his doctor in one arbor, and the other with his friends in another, fifty meters apart. But the dejeuner that is the most curious and profitable is that which is given a day or two afterward. A duel naturally makes lions of the principals, who are talked about by their friends, and Is a long row of small test tubes conwhen it has not had an unhappy issue, one or other of them, sometimes both. but at different times, returns here with a party of ladies and gentlemen and 'fights his battles o'er again'-in words.

"The ground is inspected and everything is minutely explained. The hero is applauded by the men and admired by the ladies, who give utterance to suppressed shricks, and exclaim: 'So era," which attracts more attention you wounded him, mon cheri, did you? than any of the others. The tube was Well, it was very chie, anyhow.' Then filled with gelatine on June 29, at the they cuddle and kiss him, and you can same time being inoculated with choleasily imagine what a set-out there is era. In a little over a month the dis after that." Thereupon the landlord case germs have developed and multiburst out into a fit of laughter. When his hilarity had somewhat subsided, he exclaimed: "And now, gentlemen, lets have a look at the culinary ar rangements."

And the monarch of the swell kingdom led the way from the garden into the elegantly appointed edifice where, in a sumptuous dining-room, most savory menus are served.

Old Holland Fortilications.

With very few exceptions the old ettles of Belgium and Holland have the group and in an excited manner leveled the walls which have played such grand parts in the national his tories, and they are converted inta tories, and they are converted and the up there, "Yes, Asiatic Chester and York. The walls of Ant, plied Mr. Flynn. by boulevards. The old bastions of exclatmed: Amsterdam still remain, but the citizens of Arnheim and Utrecht and Hoorn and Zwolle and Haarlem and Leyden disport themselves on fine evenings upon the line of fortifications

A Curious English Naval Law.

The archives of the port of Southampton, England, contain a curious religiously preserved in the family. Is quarrelsome merchant, who consid-neval law of the fourteenth century. As time goes on various marks and ered himself too old to try the "cold naval law of the fourteenth century. The document holds the captain of a notches are cut into it which serve to water proof process," had a famous record the births, marriages, deaths, swimmer train his son to perform marwind was unfavorable. dav.

so sharp that we could easily recognize the figures of each other, and every movement was reproduced. The head of each individual appeared to occupy the center of the circle, and each of us emed to be standing on the inner seriphery of the rainbow. We estimated the inner radius of the circle to I generally have two or three duels a be six feet. This phenomenon lasted

everal minutes, disappearing with the with an iceberg, a mile or more distant fog bank, to be reproduced in new fog in the straits. They would have a three or four times, but each time more sumptuous pienie on the very top of it. indistinctly. The sunshine during the All the warnings of the brown and phenomenon seemed to us to be unsimple fishermen went for nothing usually bright. Mr. Kielland-Torkild-sen, president of the Telemarken Tourwith these gentlemen who had seen the world.

ist club, writes to me that the builder It was a bright summer morning, of the hut on the top of Gausta has twice seen spectacles of this kind, but in each case it was only the outline of and the jolly boat with a flag went off to the berg. By twelve o'clock the colors were flying from the top, and the mountain that was reflected on the the wild midshipmen were reveling fog. He had never seen his own image, on the lee mountain. For two hours

and he does not mention circular or other rainbows." CHOLERA IN A BUTTLE.

acteria of the Gennine Asiatic Article at the Army and Medical Museum.

In one of the cases at the Army and Medical museum at Washington there shell of a boat and rowed away. As if time and distance had been taining bacterial organisms of several of the most dangerous diseases known view the scene in safety, the great ice-berg lay silent until the boat was a to the medical profession. The exhi-bition is a branch of that department under the management of Dr. Gray,

who conducts experiments in the for-mation of the disease germs and specuwith awful thunder, and filled the surrounding water with its ruins. lates on their terms of existence and Awed and subued by the scene of depowers of resistance. Among the col-lection is a tube labeled "Asiatic cholstruction, and thrilled at their narrow escape from death, the picnickers re-turned to their ship. It was their first and last day of amusement with an iceberg. There is a large bowlder lying in a plied to such an extent as to be plainfield near Foremark, England, which ly visible to the naled eye. In the is known throughout Derbyshire as

open end of the tube is loosely wadded "Hangman's Stone." The exposed pora piece of cotton, although the contion of the bowlder rises about six tents may be seen through the glass feet above the surface of the surrounddoors of the case. Manager Flynn, of ing field and has a narrow ditch or inthe museum, kindly takes the tube out dentation running across the top. The of the case and explains the growth of mark, so tradition says, was made in the germs when particular interest is manifested in the culture by visitors. this way: A sheep thief in the dead of night, while leaning against the

manifested in the culture by visitoria The other day, says the Post, while showing the cholera tube to a party of showing the cholera tube to a party of a man had the sheep tied with a rope inquired:

slipped on the opposite side, and the rope catching under the thief's chin choked him to death. The indentation "Is that real cholers you have bot-"Yes, Asiatic cholera," politely re-

in the rock was made by the friction of the rope while the dying man was en-The woman threw up her hands and gaged in an effort to extricate himself. Siamese Judicial Proceaure.

"Then, for God's sake, do be careful German papers tell of a queer method

and don't drop the bottle!" of judicial procedure in parts of the kingdom of Siam. In the absence of Cheese for the Bride. In Switzerland the orange and myrtle trustworthy witnesses, the learned famous in the most stirring pages of what is perhaps the most stirring of European histories. her marriage the bride receives time is the winner of the suit! The rea whole Gruyere cheese, which is port further declares that a particular-

any voyage begun in spite of the opin-ion of a majority of the crew that the always serve as provision for a rainy by the son, and as a result was always victoriousi

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