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 other classic querries, "Who wrote the
Junius letters"" and "Who hit Billy THE energy with which Louisville is
trying to elbow St. Louis out of last place, at the tail end of the ball season, is what the baseball editior would call
the "teature of the game."Imporress are delaring that, soABOUT BOOKS AND PERIOIICALS.
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west now may be very truthfully termwest now may be ve
ed somewhat yellow. ed
general news in a Nutshell.
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ity have been found near Soda Springs,
Idaho. Lulie A. Lytle, a 23 -year-old colored
girl, has been admitted to the bar at
Memphis, Tenn. Miss Lulu Cutchin, of Norfolk, Va.,
leading soprano in a church choir, poisoned herself after being deserted
by her lover. Ex-Governor Morton, of New York,
has sold his estate, Ellerslie, and the blooded live stock
Webb for $\$ 200,000$.
The Northwestern Miller reports the
output of flour at Minneapolis, Duluth, Superior and Milwaukee, Wis., last week at 455,165 barrels. rie Carlsen, a servant, were overcome by illumnating gas in a New York
apartment house, and the former may
die.
 Mrs. Florence Van Schaack has
sued her father-in-law, Peter Van Schaak, in Brooklyn, N. Y., for $\$ 25$, ,-
000 for alienating her husband's affec-
tions. tions.
United State Senator Lindsay and
ex-Secretaries Carlisle and Morto will take the stump in the Kentucky
campaign ror the gold democratic campaig
ticket.
years of fruitless effort in the cause of anarchy in New York city, has shaken
the dust of Gotham from his feet the dust of Gotham from his
gone to Buffalo. OUR LIVE BUSINESS ME
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The staid old Atlantic will probably always "gang its ain gait," as the
Scotch would say, but it is very sure paced. It doess not take up with any
of the wrinkles of the periodical fadof the wrinkles of the periodical
dist, but it may be depended upon to
say something worth the attention of say something worth the attention of
serious-minded folks, always. It is rather in a class by itself among
American magazines, and while its clientele is not so large as the illustra-
ted monthlies, it may at least have the sed monthlies, it may at least it is much
satisfaction of knowing that it in
more weighty. It opens with a contribution by Roosevelt. on "Municipal Reform," in which the latter gives his
views concerning the reform moveviews concerning the reform move-
ment in New York. There is a second
installment of "Some Unpublished Letters," by Deane Swift, and "A South-
erner in the Pelopensian War," by Basil L . Gildersleeve. The finest pa-
per of the number, though, is "On Being Human," by Prof. Woodrow Wil-
son. Mr. Wilson is one of the most entertaining of our present day writers
and he is both thoughtful and entertaining in this instance.

The Century, best of all American
illustrated monthlies, all in all, is a fair number this month. One thing is
noteworthy, the poetry of the number is above the average. "A Chopin
Fantasy," by Robert Underwood
Johnson, has the classic beauty of Johnson, has the classic beauty of
Mathew Arnold's verses, while "The
Violet Gate", by Cole Violet Gate," by Clarence Urmy, is as
fresh and fragant as a violet under the morning dew. The stories are average
only.
THE Philadelphia Record critic says
the sedate William Dean Howells the sedate William Dean Howells
has indulged in a Saratoga idyl in his latest work, "An Open-Eyed Con-
spiracy." The society that erowds that famous American watering place
during the months of July and August is submitted to an exhaustive and piti-
less analysis. The loal color is
achieved with. ism, and the same keen grasp of
character-drawing that marks every novel of Mr. Howells is also revcaled
in this light summer study, al fresco,
so-to-speak. so-to-speak. The love study is started
by the "Open-Eyed Conspiracy", of an
elderly couple to interest a young girl, who is having a dull time at Saratoga Their conspiracy leads to their ow
confusion and a new wedding a
nouncement.
"The Painted Desert," by Kirk
Munroe, is another American story, but one of adventure confessedly for
young America. It is notable for its young America. It is notable for its
interesting description of that wonder-
ful region of Arizona described in the ful region of Arizona described in the
title, "It a region," states Mr. Mun-
roe, "almost as little known as the deserts of the moon, and one shunned tribes who dwell on its borders as a
place of departed spirits. So desolate is it, and so void of life or the means
of sustaining life, that not more than a score of white men have ever gazed derer on the point of dying from thirst suddenly discovers a hidden valley
lying in the interior of one of the high plateaux called mesas. In this valley
he discovers an old Quaker, who, with his wife and an Indian boy, have been
obliged to live here for some years, obliged to live here for some years,
owing to the impossibility of their
crossing the crossing the desert to civilization.
The book closes with a description of
a trip down the grand canon of the a trip down the grand canon of the
Colorado. A picturesque feature of the work is the snake-dance
Oraybi, the Moqui Indians.
SAMUEL Harden ${ }^{* *}$ Church's lish invasion of Ireland in of the Eng- The entral figure is that of Cromwell. stone of Life", is a tale of love and achieved by the hero. But what will ive it its chief interest to the modern
reader is its attempt to deal with em-pire-building in Africa. Some critice
have pretended to see in one of the characters a reflex of Cecil Rhodes,
the dictator of Rhodesia $\underset{\text { Cy Warman, the }}{*_{*}^{*}}$ spun the story spun the story of "The Express Mes-,
senger and Other Tales of the Rail," It contains the Kiplingesque story.
'"The Loocomotive That Lost Herself."
Another Another tells of "A Locomotive as

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