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be nothing in the form of an advertise-"If pictures are drawn on the message side will the card be sent?"

"Yes, unless the picture is of a character which would send the artist to Sing Sing. However, there is a great deal of complaint about dunning and abusive messages. It is popularly believed that it is a violation of the law to send scurrilous epistles in this way, but it is not. The belief is founded, on Judge Benedict's decision, where \$5,000 fine was imposed several years ago. The law is not now in force, and a man can abuse another to his heart's

"Can a postal card be returned?" "Correspondents often try to do that, but it is against the rules of the office. To make sure, they often stick on a one-cent stamp. That won't work either. If a two-cent stamp is put on, it will pass inspection. By putting on a one-cent stamp, however, a postal card may be remailed to the person to whom it is addressed, if it does not find him in the first instance. One thing about postal cards ought to be known to poor people who have friends abroad. e stacks of international postal cards unused that may be sent to almost any city in Great Britain or the Continent. Even in the few instances where they are used, they are apt to be sent to the country which issues them. This is not allowed. They can only be sent out of the country which issues them."-N. Y. Sun.

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Happenings of Interest to All, Home and Abroad

trict have thousand troops of the Warsaw dis-between been echeloned along the roadway be taken between derniwice and Warsaw, the route to by the Czar.

isass ous fire occurred Monday at Ma-isass ous fire occurred Monday at Ma-isas a town of Asia Minor. A thousand shops, nundred houses, four hotels, three mosques and the municipal palace were destroyed. -A riot has occurred at Klirnoff, Russi The workmen attacked the shops of the fid Believers, whom they denounced as worse than Jews. The contents of the shop were carried off. One person was killed and two were wounded.

The Transury agures show a shrinkage of the currency in circulston during the seven menths prior to July 1 amounting to about months \$32,000, improving the harbors of Lake Su perior and the northern portion of Lake Su-perior and the northern portion of Lake M: 200 and the estimates of cost for next year \$786,000.

-A so called "basement burglar," who has robbed over forty houses in Harlem, N. Y., in five months and who has succeeded admirably in keeping out of the hands of the police, was captured at his work. A wagon load of ctolen property was found at his ome.

-A dispatch from Reading Pa., Tays: During Wednesday night John Flowers, aged fory-five, an insane man, and an innate of the County Hospital, killed Thomas Louth, his roommate, by battering in his head while Louth was asleep. Louth was found dead in the morning. He was eighty years of age and came here from England. As Flowers is a lunatic he will not be tried for murder, but will be confined in the iron-clad cell.

-A severe thunderstorm visited the region of Beatrice, Neb., before daylight Wednesday morning. Lightning struck the farm house of Nathan Miller, near Maryville, Kan., killing nis four daughters while asleep. Their ages were seventeen, thirteen, nine and seven re-spectively. The mother is in a critical condition from her bereavement.

-Rags and hides in the cargo of the Chateau Margaux ran the blockade of quarantine, an officer of the steamer declaring that there was no such cargo on board. They were dis-covered at the dock in Brooklyn.

-On Tuesday a station agent on an Iowa railway was killed by a negro whom he had -- A mob in Rome pursued a burglar in woman's clothes, caught him, and hanged

-Rags from Marseilles shipped in May last cannot be landed in the United States. -The bones of Captain Ballard, a hero of the naval engagement between the Constitu-tion and two English vessels, were buried in the Naval Academy Cenatery at Annapolis,

-Texas fever has caused the death and slaughter of hundreds of cattle in Kassas, Missouri and Illinois. -The Commercial Bank of Brazil, Ind., and the Barnum Wireworks, of Detroit, Mich.,

-A lynching party in the Far West, after capturing a party of horse thieves, hanged the two leaders and turned the others over to the authorities for trial. -A surveying party, consisting of W. O.

Johnson, John Eastwood, R. J. Eardon, and F. Bieakley, were drowned in Spanish River, -The Brushy Creek bridge, an immense span, seventy-five feet high, and situated with-in twenty-five miles of Austin, Texas, on the

efternoon. As a result all the trains on that road were blockaded. -Our Southern frontier is to be strictly gnarded to prevent importations of yellow fever from Senora, Mexico. -- The Texas fever is still agitating Western

-- At Saratoga on Wednesday, a portion or the committee appoint d by the recent Demo-cratic National C evention for the purpose of notifying the Presidential candidates called upon ex-Governor Hendricks at his hotel and formally discharged the duty imposed upon them. The Vice Presidential nominee re-The Vice Presidential nominee remonded in suitable terms.

-The arrest of two Americans in Mexicocaused indignation among the American colonists, until it was shown that they were nuworthy men who had broken the laws. At the request of the United States government they were released. -A gallant young man from New York eity set his life at Kingston, N. Y., while saving a

lad from drowning.

-A police officer was murdered in Minneapolis by three roughs. Three train wreckers were atrested near Lynchburg, Va. -Whisky sent to Canada to avoid the pay-

ment of the tax will be mulcted fifty cents per package before it is again imported to this country. -J. S. C. Harrison, of the broken Har-

rison's Bank, and receiver of the Indiana Banking Chmpany, has been arrested for em-bezzling \$95,000 in Indianapolis. -A surveying party of four persons were drowned in Spanish River, Canada, Tuesday. -The Notification Committee of the Democratic National Convention for officially apprising Governor Cleveland of his nomination for the Pr. sidency, accompanied by the National Committee, waited tipon the nomines at the Executive Chamber on Tuesday and performed the mission with which it had been vested. Col. Vilas, of Wiscons'n made the address. Gov. Cleveland responded briefly, and stated that his formal letter of acceptance

would be given in a few days. -Three Frenchmen from the cholera district of France were among the immigrants on the Gallia to New York. They were allowed to land by the Health Officer, because he believed they were going to South America. The men are at large in New York. -It is reported that Hartmann, the nihilist, has committed suicide in Paris.

-Daly, the dynamiter arrested in April in Birkenhead, has been indicted by the Grand

-The English government is ready to conirm the confederation of the Australian colonies and the annexation scheme. - The cotton worm is ravaging the cotton

orop in Lower Egypt. The prospect is very poor. The Nile is now much lower than at any time since 1878, when 40,000 persons perished from famine. A dispatch from London says: -- Mrs. Weldon received a verdict of £1,000 damages against Mr. Temple, the medical man who

had declared her insane. -Warsaw is placed under martial law in anticipation of the visit of the Emperor of Russia to that city. -The leading bankers, merchants and man-

nfacturers of Berlin are leagued against Bis-marck's colonial plans. -A passenger steamer on the Volga River, Russia, capsized and twenty persons were -The S.berian pest has appeared at Gats-

chius. A committee has been formed, with Prince Schakoffsky at its head, to enforce vigcrous sanitary measures to check the spread of -The entire northern shore of Long Island Sound is becoming built up with summer cot-

-In Aberdeen (D. T.) artesian flowing wells

-Eighteen members of the Salvation Army

are being used to run a grist mill.

were arrested at Rochester and locked up for singing while parading the streets. -At Blakely, Ga., a colored man, charged a crowd of citizens and lynched The colored people of La Grange, Ga., had a cale walk. Colored dudes partook freely of liquor, and when the game was nearly, ended John Henry, an idiot negro pinched off a piece of the cake, which aroused great indicate in the was taken out by six men.

dignation. He was taken out by six men, stripped to the waist, and received 750 lashes, when he was left weltering in his blood. -The Mudir of Dongona telegraphs that reports have reached that city to the effect that General Gerdon has captured Berber. -A priest was attacked at Witepsk, Russia led by a mob to an attack on the houses of Jews in that place. The military dispersed the moband made several arrests. The priest

-The Russian villages of Rybatzkoge and Smolenskoge, near St. Petersburg, have been destroyed by fire. -The Prench man-of-war lying off Foodbon have been cleared by action.

LATESTNEWS NOTES. NEWS SUMMARY.

Enstern and Middle States, EX-GOVERNOR JOHN P. ST. JOHN sent : telegram from Rochester, N. Y., near which he had been addressing a camp-meeting, to the committee at Pitsburg, accepting the nomi-nation of the National Prohibition convention

Ex Governor Walter Harriman, of New Hardshire, died a few days since at Warnen N. H., aged sixty seven years. He came cut of the civil war a general, and was accted governor in 1867 and 1868.

MISS MARY C. AULTERS, the betrothed of Ossian Terburgh, who committed suicide at Pittsburg, Penn., a few weeks ago by taking prussic acid, shot herself in Leechburg, Penn., inflicting a fatal wound.

THE boiler of a locomotive on the Lebigh Valley railroad near White Haven, Penn., exploded with terriffic effect. Jacob Hassell, engineer; John Armbruster, & eman; John Hassell, brakeman, son of the engineer, and R. S. Smah, a telegraph operator, were instantly k. d. A freight train ran into the wrecked locomotive, and thirty cars were de-

FIFTY-ONE men of all nationalities, white and black, were arrested near Pittsburg, Penn., and lodged in jail, charged with an outrageous assault on Lizzie Bradley, a young women of unsound mind, who had been en-ticed from her home and was wandering shout the country when discovered by her as-

The committee of notification appointed by the national Democratic committee to inform Governor Cieveland of his nomination for President, waited upon him in the ex-ecutive mansion at Albany and discharged its duty. Governor Cleveland in a speech accepted the nomination. DEWOLF & SWAN, New York stock brokers, have failed through the thievish operations of

one of their customers-W. E. Scovil, a stenographer employed by Lord, Day & Lord, lawyers. Scovil stole about \$200,000 worth of Mr. Day's securities, substituted counterfeits for the genuine ones, and forged Mr. Day's signature on the genuine stocks. THE committee of forty seven who had in-

formed Governor Cleveland of his nomination for President by the national Democratic convention performed a like duty toward Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks, Democratic nominee for Vice-President, at the Grand Union hotel, Saratoga, N. Y. The ceremony was almost a repetition of that on the previous day in Albany. Colonel Vilas made the address informing Mr. Hendricks of his nomination. Secretary Religious Control of the previous day in Albany. Hendricks of his nomination; Secretary Bell read the official letter of notification, and Mr. Hendricks responded in a short address accepting the nomination.

South and West.

VICTOR ELOI (white), for the murder of his wife, and Kendrick Holland (colored), for the murder of Hannah Glover, his reputed wife, were hanged from the same gallows simultaneously at New Orleans. AFTER 198 ballots ex-United States Senator Thomas M. Norwood was nominated for Con-

gress in the First Georgia district. lowa's coin crop is estimated at 300,000,000 bushels-the biggest ever known in that - 1-h THE tornadoes which wrought such

in various portions of Wisconsin. Dakota and Minnesora have been followed by hailstorms equally as destructive to crops. Many sheep, bogs find calves were killed, while horses and cattle suffered severely. Many bridges were swept weary, and flocks of sheep killed. Hailstones as hig when segs fell. Near Tower City, Dakota, the damage was estimated at \$100,000. CEOP reports from Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky are to the offset that

in years. Corn has suffered from dro but recent rains have rescued it, and the yield will be an average one. DURING a wrestling match between two regrees at Plaquemine, La., one threw the other with such force as to break his neck. dilling him instantly

THE Ohio Greenbackers, at their State convention in Dayton, nominated a full ticket, headed by Peter Harrod for secretary of COLONEL J. S. MURPHY, president of the Mobile Life Insurance company, was shot and killed at his residence near Mobile, by Reuben Tripp. The shooting grew out of a dispute

peller's mat. a fireman.cook and five deck hands were drowned. SEVEN horse thieves were found hanging to rees at the mouth of the Musselshell river in Montane. Cowboys had done the hanging. A FLOOD in the valley of George's creek in the eastern part of West Virginia, swept away from twenty to thirty houses at Bar-ton, a small mining town, and caused a loss of from eight to fifteen lives.

A PUSION ticket of Republicans and Greenbackers has been nominated in West Virginia headed by Edwin Maxwell (Republican for governor. The remainder of the State ticket is made up of three Republicans and three reenbackers. DURING a severe thunder-storm lightning

struck the farmhouse of Nathan Miller, near Maryville, Kan., killing his four sleeping daughters, aged seventeen, thirteen, nine and seven respectively.

CONGRESSMAN WILLIAM W. CULBERTSON, representing the Ninth Kentekuy district, while at his room in the National hotel at Washington, where he had been stopping a few days, attempted to commit suicide by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. The weapon was fired five times, but only two of the shots took effect, the balls furrowing along the skull without breaking it, but inflicting serious wounds Excessive drinking is given as the cause of Mr. Culbertson's attack upon himself. Culbertson is a native of Pennsylvania, had been in the

Union army, and in the Kentucky legislature; was once mayor of Ashland, Ky., and had been a delegate to the last three Republican national conventions. THE surgeon-general of the marine hospital service, having received information that the yellow fever is spreading in Sonora, Mexico, has instructed the inspector at Nogales, Arizona, to use extra vigilance to prevent its introduction into the United States.

TREASURY figures show a shrinkage of the currency in circulation during the seven months prior to July 1 amounting to about \$32,000,000 In view of the threatened Asiatic cholera invasion the national board of health has

directed its executive committee to fully investigate all matters bearing on that subject.

CHINA is to pay France \$5,000,000 as indemnity for the recent attack of Chinese forces upon a body of French troops in Tonquin. I'wenty persons were drowned by the capa passenger steamer on the Volga river in Russia.

ENGLAND's hop crop this year is pronounced A MEETING of the emperors of German an I Austria and the czar of Russia is about to take place at Alexandrof, Russia. HENRY M. STANLEY, the African explorer has returned to England from Africa.

A DISASTROUS fire has occurred at Marash,

a town of Asia Minor. One thousand shops,

two hundred houses, four hotels, three mosques and the municipal palace were de-Up to the 1st inst. about 2,300 deaths from cholera had occurred in France. A MOB in Rome, Italy, pursued a burglar

A HORRIBLE DISEASE. Singular Complaint Supposed to have been Caused by Diseased Ment.

The surgeons at the County Hospital,

cago, have under treatment Mrs. Murphy. 27

years of age, who is suffering from a horrible disease which afflicts cattle and is known as "dumpy jaw." It is in the form of an abscess on her jaw, and was at first supposed to be an orumary abscess, but microscopical examina-tion proves the contrary. The abscess was found to contain vegetable parasites identical with those found in abscesses on cattle. It is supposed to have been caused by eating the meat of cattle having the disease. An opera-tion will be performed shortly. The case ex-cites some interest, as it is the fire ported in the United States, though ordinary abscess, but microscopical examina-

SOUTHERN NOTES.

Talk of a bagging factory at Griffin, Ga. Cord wood sells for nine dollars per cord in

The average monthly wages paid farm han is in Georgia is \$9.83. There is going to be a thresaid acre cocoa salm grove in South Florida. A glass factory to cost twenty thousand dol-lars is to be erected at Morrilton, Ark.

Eighteen hundred homesteads have been enered in Florida during the past year. The streets in DeLand, Fla., are being covered with sawdust by the town authorities Key West imported over three thousand galons of claret wine from Havana last month. It is said that the peanut crop this year in the South will amount to three million dollars.

The Mississippi carries annually to the sea eight hundred and twelve billion five hundred on pounds of mud. With her cattle upon a thousand hills, Texas people eat more oleomargarine than they eat A large colony of immigrants from Germany recently arrived in Louisiana to settle on lands

in the northern part of that State. Selma, Ala., has seventy-four artesian wells. some of them flow excellent mineral water, and every stream is pure and healthful. Alabama's output of iron in 1870 was less than \$4,000,000, in 1965 \$19,000,000, an increase of 400 per cent. in four years. Arkansas' proportion of the fund to be dis-tributed under what is known as the 'Blair

bill," for educational purposes, will amount to A single English syndicate owns 4,500,000 acres of land in Texas. Foreign capital altogether controls an aggregate of 21,000,000 acres in the State. The Scientific American says the best of

hickory used in the arts, where toughness is required, is obtained from North Carolina and East Tennessee. It is stated that Lake de Funiak, Fla., is settling up with a class of farmers from Iowa and Wisconsin, who will engage in raising sheep, cattle, rice, sugar, pecans, clives and grapes. There are about 300 men engaged in killing alligators in South Florida. The hide and teeth of the 'gator is what's wanted. The year's business will bring to that section about

845,000.

Immense quantities of plates made from the common gum tree ground up into wood pulp, pressed, are manufactured in Newbern, N. C., and are daily shipped from Norfolk to points Southern planters are now preparing for a decisive test of a cotton harvester on their next crop, and should the result be favorable,

it will probably work changes greater than were caused by the introduction of the cotton gin in the prices of cotton. In the middle of the main street of Aberieen, Miss., are artesian wells several squares apart, which supply the city with water. Every well is covered with a large pagoda, and the ground beneath is paved. The water runs from spouts into troughs, and passes off under

The South possessin her varied and valu-

werith. The manufacture of cabinet woods a) d furniture in the South can be made one o her leading industries, as the material is al most unlimited and the water power for factories abundant. A stock company has been organized at Montgomery, Ala., with paid up capital stock of \$30,000 for an extensive manufactory of soap, ball potash and axie grease. Cotton

sed oil will take the place of offal and grease, the hands or leading business men. Jay Gould says that the Southern States are increasing beyond all precedent. Cotton manufactories are being established in all directions, and in Florida manufactures of furniture, etc., are numerous; things that they used to have to depend on the North for exclusively

they now make for themselves. The cattle interest is becoming immense, the growth of which can scarcely be measured by estimate or figures. The great trunk lines of the Missouri Pacific railway will be taxed to their utmost to furnish transportation for this already vast and increasing traffic. It is estimated that from the first of this month to October not less than 1,000,000 head of cattle wer land trespassing, and Tripp was arrested.
A STEAMSHIP collided with and sank the
propeller J. M. Osborn on Lake Superior. The will be shipped over these lines from Texas to Northern points. In this no estimate is made of horses, sheep and swine that will seek north-

In reference to the cetton industry in Au-gusta, Ga., which has been represented as in a serious plight, it is now stated that all the mills are running in full, and the Sibley mills are about to increase their capacity by new machinery. Two out of the ten mills have de-cided to reduce their wages, but it is claimed that these two mills pay higher wages than any of the others. The real cause of the trouble is the short cotton crop of 1883. Many of the Southern mills did not buy sufficient when cotton was low, and the present high price does not make them particularly anxious to work it up. Mills with an abundant stock of cotton will go right along.

NEWS FROM EGYPT.

Five Hundred People Killed-Gen. Gordov

A despatch from Suakim says: An friend-ty tribes on the mainland, near A. 4, have been massacred. Five hundred persons were killed. Seventeen thousand rebels are around Suskim and make nightly attacks upon the town, coming within short range of the garri-son. The sailors and marines landed, but the rebels fearlessly danced and waved their spears in broad daylight within two miles of the fort." A letter from General Gordon, dated June 11, emphasizes the necessity of his remaining to protect Kassala. He says that his soldiers are in good spirits and are only waiting the rising of the Nile to destroy the rebels. A merchant who left Kassala on June 21 says before starting he read a letter from Gen. Gordon to the Mudir of Kassala, dated June 11. According to this Gen. Gordon of provisions and ammunition. He was snort of money, however, and was raising funds by issuing bonds. He was hemmed in on all sides by rebels. As soon as the Nile rose his intention was to equip steamers. At Kassala, the merchant says, there were supplies of provisions sufficient to last five months. The population at Kaddarif have joined the Mahdi. The inhabitants of Dongola, through the Mudir, have sent a dispatch to the General commanding at Assonan, declaring their loyalty and expressing regret for their wavering

in the past. The telegram is regarded an

proof that the Malidi's influence is want

An Arab trader who has arrived r

Oso an Digma was killed on July 18 🖈

Arguments for the Probibit

from Amarar says it was reported

ber of the Bishareen tribe, whose

man stabbed because he refused

RUM AND DEATH ON THE Two Men Killed by a Locomy

The east bound passenger train of ern North Carolina Railroad mad-tr p Sunday, killing two men wit of two miles. At Johnson's ferry, near Asl a grog shop by the railroad the platform a white man nay was performing a shake dirain approached. The mountain dew that Press only tangled his feet, but and when he saw his mult ware the opposite side of the that the approaching train la across the track to catch th He gave a bound, and in leap the engine struck ward. He fell in a fig! was mashed to a per body was broken. his pocket covery was not cracked After the rer train proceeds two miles b

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Peter Fore.

THE Philadelphias have thus far played twenty men this season. Six pitchers have been tried and five catchers. CORKHILL, of the Cincinnaticlub, has made

the wonderful record of thirty-six games in the right field without an error. Ir will now be in order for pitchers to watch Buffinton, of the Bostons, in order to discover that peculiar drop which he alone THE numerous clubs in the country are

training schools for players, and talented ones ought to improve their chances to get into the big leagues, which will be the only survivors some day. HACKETT, of the Bostons, and Ewing, of the New Yorkers, wear the two heaviest masks in the League, and probably in the profession. They were made to order for

these two catchers, and the wire is much larger than that ordinarily used. WHILE deadheads were enjoying a game at the Boston club's ground, Boston, from the tops of telegraph poles near by, somebody came along and rainted the poles black as far as could be reached. It is perhaps needless to add that there was no patent dryer in that paint. The clothes of the pole-toppers

showed it after they had come down showed it after they had come down.

An exchange, speaking of the invention of baseball, says: 'Now the game is played by young men who play it as an avocation, who are called professionals, and who receive large pay. A contest requires the exertions of eighteen men of exceptional skill and endurance, one umpire, two managers, and usually the services of an accomplished surgeon. The ball is a combination of cast iron and India rubber nearly as hard as a cannon ball, and rubber nearly as hard as a cannon ball, and propelled as rapidly. To occupy the grand stand of a baseball park is a dangerous pro-ceeding, while the players take the ball and their lives in their hands at the same time,"

At the end of the fourteenth week the record of the League clubs in the championship race was:

The record of the twelve Associations clubs up to the 1st was: Clubs. Won. Lost. Metropolitan 47 19 19 Baltimore 31 20 Brooklyn 24 19 Toledo 21 20 Allegheny 20 Louisville....42 Columbus....42 St. Louis 39 28 Washington .. 12 In the Eastern League the record was as fol-

Won. Lost. | Clubs. Clubs Wilmington ... 41 8 Virginia ... 23 23
Active ... 24 21 Newark ... 22 27
Trenton 25 25 Allentown ... 16 29
In the Union association race the St. Louis team held the winning lead, the Baltimores being second, and the Bostons third. In the Northwestern League race the dis-bandment of the Bay City team materially advance ! the Grand Rapids club, Saginaw

being second and Quincy third.

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

EMMA ABBOTT, the singer, has become very rich. An English lord is to go on the New York stage next winter. CLARA LOUISE KELLOGG has been dined in

CHRISTINE N LSSON says thee if Path is to

get \$4,000 per night in this country next season her services an certainly worth \$3,000. Mas. Langtry's jext season in America does not begin until Jenuary 5. She will have four new pieces and three new English actors. It is suggested that Ates Oates and Edward Hay would make a popular combina-tion. Oates and Hay would sustain the biggest sort of a team. The play called "Shadows of the Great City," produced recently at McVicke's thea-tre, Chicago, is understood to have been main-ly the work of Mr. Joseph Jefferson, the actor.

although his name does not appear in conne-It is now definitely settled that Mr. Abbey controls both Mme. Bernhardt and Miss Mary Anderson for this country. Both of them will be brought over a year from the coming au-tumn, and Mr. Abbey's agents are already or gaged in booking time all over the country. MARIE ROZE and Minnie Hauk have been in Paris listening to Heilbron in Massanet's "Manon Lescaut." Marie Roze is to give the opera in English at London, and Minnie Hauk will sing it in German at Vienna in the au-tumn, and in English in this country next

THE Worcester (Mass.) Spy says that Mrs. Isabel Fassett, of Albany, who has met with marked success in oratorio in Europe, will sing in a festival in Worcester. The statement is made that she will sing nowhere also in this country, but will return at once to Eu-

Miss Mary Andreson says that she intends to excel anything ever done by Mr. Frying in the stuging of "Romeo and Juliet," She has brought several sketches and plots for stage sets from Italy, and the scene painters are low busily at work preparing for her fall PRIVATE advices from Europe declare that PRIVATE advices from Europe declare that Miss Emma Juch and Mr. Theodore Thomas are now in Bayreum for the purpose of attending the Wagnerian musical entertainments in that place. As soon as the object of their stay is completed they propose to come back to this country, bringing with them Mark Materns and Fabbri, together with a minute of other important singers, the purnum of the growth of the growth of the purnum of the growth of

pose be g to give German opera in New York rand scale FIGHTING FOR LIFE. Cerrible Scenes at the Collision of the Gijon and Laxham.

The survivors of the British steamer Laxham which collided recently with the Spanish steam or Gijon, not far from Corunna, report that o

FOURTEEN THE peach crop of Asset

> THE Tennessee mountains are become fashionable as a summer resort among peop DURING the first six months of the current rear the sum of \$69,221,000 has been invested new industries in the South.

THERE are 1,002 hotels in Switzerland, with 58,137 beds. There are more English travelers than of any other nationality. CALIFORNIA promises to contribute 57,000, 000 bushels to the 500,000,000 bushels of this country's next estimated wheat erop. CUBAN taxes for the current year amount to \$30,000,000, while the value of her sugar crop for the same time is only \$25,000,000. THE assessed valuation of the real and per-

sonal estate in the city of Philadelphia is \$583,612,683, an increase of \$12,128,429 over VIRGINIA is to set down this year for 2,100, 000 bushels of peanuts, Tennessee for 250,000, and North Carolina at 135,000

According to the returns for 1883, just issued, there were in Ireland at the close of that year, 7,752 schools under the jurisdiction of the national educational commission. Two Danes have undertaken the task of paddling, in a skin-covered cance, from Alaska to San Francisco, a distance of about 2,500 miles. The canoo is nineteen feet long and covered with the skin of sea lions. A YEAR ago, Miss Knowles, a sixteen-yearold girl of Deep River, Conn., was taken sick. On convalescing she found that she could eat nothing but milk and fruit, a singular diet,

PROMINENT PEOPLE

that she has continued to the present time.

Her health at present is excellent.

LIEUTENANT SCHWATKA, the Arctic explorer, has resigned from the army. CONGRESSMAN ABRAM S. HEWITT, of New York, has gone on a trip to England. PIERRE LORIL ARD has built in Jersey City a library for the free use of the 3,500 operatives in his employ.

THOMAS EWING SHERMAN, the eldest son of General Sherman, is now one of the scholastic brethren of the society of Jesus at Nashotah, THE newspapers are mentioning the some-what curious fact that Mr. Blaine was for a

what currous rate that the time a teacher in a deaf mute college, and Mr. Cleveland was a teacher in an asylum for the ADMIRAL COOPER'S flag has been lower at Portsmouth Navy Yard, closing his liant official record. Admiral Luce successed to the command of the North Atlan

at the house he a compying in Place, London. Several wear and musical people were present. ceedings could hardly be termed LORD RUPERTSWOOD, of V ported to be richer than W. H. He is worth more than \$200,000,60.

wealth is rapidly increasing. He inne great estate from his father, including

quis as Caux for divorce will be the first case tried under the new divorce law in Faris. A TABLE showing the length of se parliament of the most eminent Englishmen now living contains the following Gladstone, fifty-one years; L. ville, forty-seven years; Lord Joh forty years the Duke of Ares Kimberley, each thirty-seven Derby, thirty-six years; Lor thirty-one years, Sir Staffe twenty-eight years; Lord Ha seven years, and Mr. years, Lord Granville and the longest in years and two mont been in office twe

months and in the n'me months. THE ARCTIC

The Meeting Between G. The Arctic survivors met was eption at Portsmouth. When the barge was seen to leave the Tenn firs. Greely and her two brothers, C. A. Nesmuth, sitting in the st Commander Schley said to Lieut.

"Lisutenant, I would like to cabin for a few momerate Schley entertained Lieut me about Arcti Biven peculiar signal wowhistle to in acate was on board and read

on board and read the individual in the lady are in gas, fram shook with emotion fram steps she went to the cabin tranbling steps she went to the cabin tranbling and just at the instant she entered. doom ander Schley left the room, leaving the iong separated couple alone. Lieutenant Greely was sitting with his back to the door, but when Commander Schley so abruptly left him, he turned door, and at the same instant saw his wife enter. With a loud cry that was more like a gigantic sob half smothered, Lieutenant Greely bounded from his chair with eyes gleaming in loy at the sight that gladdened them, Mrs. Greely, tall, dark, and stately, sprang forward to meet her husband, crying, "Arthur! Arthur home!" After Mr. and Mrs. Greely had been alone for twenty minutes, her brothers were called in and cordially and tearfully greeted their broth-er-in-law. It was noticeable on board the

Thetis that everybody shed tears when Mrs. Greely entered the cabin where her husband Late in the afternoon the mother of Lieut. Greely came from Newburyport, and was Shortly after she was put in the