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RALEIGH, APRIL 29, 1890.

The country has grown accustomed to reckless displays of demagogism regarding the Chinese question, but the House of Representatives has recently passed a bill which is calculated to startle the most cynical observer. Under the pretense of amending the Census act, the lower branch of Congress declared in favor of a new system of excluding Chinese more rigorous than anything heretofore suggested. It was provided that each Chinese person enumerated in the census shall e given an engraved certificate, to be duly numbered and registered in the Census Office, containing all the particulars necessary fully and accurately to identify such person; that this certificate shall be the sole evidence of the right of such person to be and remain in the United States; and that any Chinese person found thereafter in the country with out such certificate shall be either imprisoned or sentenced to deporation. In short, under the guise of a amendment to the Census act, it was proposed to pass an exclusive law of the most offensive sort imaginable a law which would constitute an insult to the Chinese nation, and which would be admirably calculated to provoke reprisals upon Americans resident or traveling in China.-The Nation.

Our Postage Stamps.

Apropos of the advent of a learn how the "letter pass" is made. The design of the stamp is first engraved on steel and in printing, the plates used to have two hundred stamps engraved upon them Two men are busily engaged covering these with colored inks, and passing them to a man and girl who are kept busy printing them with large rolling hand-presses. Thus the stamp makers work in little squads of paper containing two hundred printed stamps are dried sufficiently, they are taken into another room and gummed The gum used for the purpose is a composition consisting of the powder of dried potatoes and other vegetables, mixed with water. After having been again dried, this time on racks fanned by steam power, the sheets are put betweed she ts of pasteboard and pressed in hydraulic presses ap plying a weight of two thousand tons. Next the sheets are cut in two. This is done by a girl with shears, hand cutting being preferred to machinery, which would destroy too many stamps.

The sheets are then passed to another squad of workers, who make the perforation tetween the stamps. They are then pressed once more, and packed and labeled and stowed away to be sent out to the various offices when ordered. If a single stamp is in any way mutilated. the entire sheet of one hundred stamps is burned, and five hundred thousand are said to be burned every week from this cause. The greatest accuracy is observed in counting the sheets of stamps to guard against pilfering by the employees; and during the past twenty years not a sheet has been lost in this way. During the process of manufacturing, the sheets are counted at least eleven times.

Anybody who wants to see a sight should stand in IndependenceSquare from 8 to 11 a m, 1:30 to 3, and 6 to 8 p m, and watch the converging stream of humanity tabernacleward bound. Nothing like it was ever seen here.—Charlotte News.

Into gold leaf, and as each dollar can be beat into a sheet that will carpet two rooms 16½ feet square some idea may be formed of its tenuty. It requires 1,4'0 sheets of gold leaf to equal in thickness a sheet of writing here.—Charlotte News.

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Four (4) room cottage on North East street, between Unkwood avenue and Polk street, in half block of equal in thickness a sheet of writing paper.

Girls and Women.

New York World.

That wideawake little giant of journalism, The Evening World, lately offered a prize of \$20 for the best brief answer to the old, yet ever new question: "What Shall We Do With Our Girls?"

Mme Albani Gye, whose good r ~ pute as a woman is as wide as her fame as a songstress, kindly consent ed to serve as judge. She awarded the prize to the writer of a short essay, which proved to be from Ella Wheeler Wilcox, of which this is the essential part:

The foundation of society rests on its hon es. The success of our homes rests on the vives. Therefore, first of all, teach our girls how to be suc cessful wives. Begin in their infancy to develop their characters. Teach them that jealously is an immorality Boneless Cream Codfish and Fine and gossip a vice. Train them to keep the smallest promise as sacredly as an oath and to speak of people only as they would speak to them. Teach them to look for the best quality in every one they meet, and to notice other people's faults only to things well and to delight in helping others, and instill constantly into for others' pleasure as a means of soul development. Once given a firm foundation of character like this, \$10 to \$12. which the poorest as well as the richest parents can give to their girls, and no matter what necessity arises they will be able to rise above it.

The pith of this opinion is that the first and the most important thing to 'do with our girls" is to fit them to be true women. This will hardly meet the practical needs of parents whose greatest anxiety relates to the care and support of their girls, rather than to character building or the rearing of wives for men who will take the girls away from the maternal nest and soon thereafter, perhaps, show their gratitude for all ap25 this care by including in poor jests or sharp sneers against mothers in-law.

But Mrs. Wilcox is right, nevertheless. Agirl who receives the training which she indicates will be well fitted for success in any other vocation besides that of home making, should that natural and happiest mission not overtake her Generous. honorable and amiable traits of character and the ability to "do small new color in our two cent postage things well" go a great ways in enstamps, it might be interesting to abling girls as well as boys to make their own way in the world.

Baseball.

following games were played today: At Baltimore-Baltimore, 9; Worcester, 7

At Washington-Washington, 13; Jersey City. 3.

At Cleveland-League game-Cleve land, 4; Chicago, 5

A Syracuse-Stars 1; Athletics, 2. At Brooklyn-Brotherhood game-Philadelphia, 1; Brooklyn, 3.

At Boston-League Game - Boston 9. New York 1.

Brotherhood game-Bostons 6, New

At Buffalo - Buffalo 4, Chicago 12. At Rochester-Rochester 3, Brook-

Flogged Them in Public.

WILMINGTON, Del, April 26.-James Hamilton, John T Owens and James Owens Isaacs, who were convicted last week of stealing a horse in Sussex county, were pilloried for one hour, and received twenty lashes each at Georgetown today. They have a year's imprisonment also to serve. There being no jail-yard the whipping took place on the village green, in a space roped off to eep back the

The young men are connected with prominent families, and their trial and punishment made a great local sensation. The trial was a hotly contested legal battle, and since their sentence strong presure has been brought upon the Governor to remit the corporal punishment. About three hundred persons witnessed the whippings.

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