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The Kansas farmer is prospering. An Osborne county farmer has purchased a typewriter and hired a stenographer to operate it.

A Fearful Fate.

It is a fearful fate to have to endure truthfully say," writes Harry [Colson, | his example. of Masonville, Ia., "that for Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Protruding Piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, is the bes cure made." Also best for cuts, burns and injuries. 25c at all druggists.

The fighting in Moscow Sunday as-

HEART OF LOUIS XIV. low It Came to Be Buried In West-minuter Abbey.

A remarkable story regarding the heart of Louis XIV. and how it came to be buried in Westminster abbey was told in London Truth by Henry Labouchere, who said the story was told to him by the late Colonel Harcourt d was confirmed by his brother, the Into Sir William Harcourt. A Hartourt who lived during the first French revolution had many connections in France and invited many of the emigres to visit him. Among them was the canon of St. Denis. On leaving the

canon expressed his thanks for the kindly hospitality of his host and produced from his pocket something that looked like a piece of dried leather an inch or so long, which he presented to him. "I was," he said, "in the cathe-dral when the royal tombs were broken open and the contents scattered to the winds. This heart is that of Louis XIV. It was kept in a separate receptacle,-and I managed to get away with it." The heart thus came into the poswas occasionally produced for the inspection of visitors as a curlosity. The late Dr. Buckland, dean of Westminster, was on a visit when it was brought out for his inspection, He was then very old and had some reputation as a man of science, and the scientific spirit moved him to wet his finger and rub it on the heart. He put the finger to his mouth after that, and before he could be stopped he put the heart into his mouth and swallowed it, whether by accident or design will never be known. Very shortly afterward he died and was buried in Westminster abbey. It is impossible he could ever have digested the thing. Consequently the heart of Louis XIV. must now be re-

in the body of an English dean. SHE HAD HER SAY.

posing in Westminster abbey inclosed

Girl's Revolt Against an Award of Valedictory Honors. "I think the greatest shock I ever experienced and the biggest revolt against

WHIPS OF FLAME. my discipline occurred when I was teaching in a country high school," said Picturesque and Familing Fire Dance the schoolteacher. "It was in a school

where the valedictory honor was award-Mysterious are many of the ways of the red man. Dr. Matthews of Wash- ad by popular vote of the school, a most ington gave an interesting account of unjust method, by the way, but one to which I was forced to succumb. The a fire dance which he was fortunate enough to witness in the far west. The girl who received the most votes was spectators were scated about a large by no means the best scholar, and the supil who ranked highest in scholaropen space. In the center of which burnhip was plainly indignant. "Every boy and girl in the class was Suddenly sounded a loud blowing of obliged to write and read a graduation buffalo horas, mingled with a strange

eseny, and it was my task to look these cry like the call of a sand hill crane. essays over and aid in the rewriting of Nearer and nearer it came, and then them. The pupil who ranked the highthere bounded into the circle ten men. naked to the waist and bearing long est in the class handed in her essay to me with some defiance, and in it I bundles of shredded cedar bark. Round and round the fire danced the foun? some reference to the valedictory little procession, chanting and waving bonor being rightly hers. I cut it out the flexible fagots. After some time and told her plainly that nothing of

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the leader abrupity stopped and lighted that sort should go into her paper. She the terrible torture of Piles. "I can his fagot of bark. The others followed agreed to leave it out. "The graduation exercises were pass-

Now began a wild race. At first the ing off splendidly when it came her Indiana kept close, spitting upon each turn to read her essay. She had a facile other's back a substance supposed to way of writing, and I was proud of have medicinal virtue. Soon they ran her, but when she reached what I knew without concert, the long, brilliant was the conclusion she stepped forward circainers of fame flaring belind them. a little and proceeded to deliver two

As they sped over the ground round pages of regulation valedictory. She the circle they applied the flers brands bade farewell to the class, the school sumed the nature of butchery by ma- to the bodies of themselves and com- and the teachers, and of course we

HANDEL'S OBSTINACY.

An Incident of the Great Musician's Childhood Days,

A child's obstinacy does not always bring as fortunate results as was the case with Handel, the great musician. His extraordinary resolutences as a life. When he was some seven years of age his father had occasion to visit a son by a former wife, who was valet to the Duke of Saze Weissenfels. Traveling in those days-200 years ago journey which the demands of a responsible profession would probably make as short as possible. But the future giant of music would

go. He cried, belowed and eventually ran along the road after the vehicle, until the tender feelings of the doctor could refuse no longer. In an evil moment for his jurisprudence scheme he took the child with him.

the ducal residence than he gave rein to his fancy on the keys of every instrument that he found open. The re-markable music that came from the finger tips of the child's hands was tween Armstrong and Lincoln. Linsoon the object of wonder and convercoln, who disapproved of all this "woolsation throughout the palace, and all this was intensified when he secured an opportunity of touching the keys of the chancel organ within the hearing of the duke

Such a throb started from that chapel organ when little Handel's tendriled Jack Armstrong soon found that he fingers chose the keys, and the soul of the duke was touched as it never had been touched before-truly a momentous occurrence, since but for it Handel's sacred music might never have been written. The duke's attention having been ar-

ested, he inquired of Dr. Handel concerning the child's future, and eventually succeeded in placing him for three years' study under Zachau, the organist of Halle cathedral. This was the beginning of Handei's musical education.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A good many people who call them elves critics are merely kickers. Give any man who has paid a compliment time enough, and he will qualify It.

About the most expensive experience the average man can have is to accept gifts. As a rule, people do not rebuke you

for telling gossip until they have heard all the details. When the members of a family quar

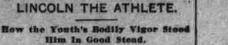
rel some very clever things are said which no one present applauds or repeats.

It is every wife's opinion that her husband needs her to protect him, and his experience later as a widower goes to prove it.

One of these days the man who gets scolded when he complains of his wife's biscuits will drop dead when he hears her apologizing for them to company.-Atchison Globe.

The Poison of Wenlth.

Great riches, carrying with them enormous possibilities of self indulgence, may fairly be considered as a



Young Lincoln's bodily vigor stood him in good stend in many ways. In frontier life strength and athletic skill served as well for popular amusement as for provate toll, and at times, indeed, they were needed for personal defense boy doubtless led to that great success Every community had its champion which crowned the later years of his wrestler, a man of considerable local importance, in whose success the neighbors took a becoming interest. There was not far from New Salem a sottlement called Clary's Grove, where lived a set of restless, roldeling young was tedious and expensive, and Dr. | backwoodsmen with a strong liking for Handel did not desire to be delayed frontier athletics and rough practical with the care of an "infant" during a jokes. Juck Armstrong was the leader of these and until Lincoln's artival had been the champion wrestler of both Clary's Grove and New Salem. He and his friends had not the slightest personal grudge against Lincoln; but, hearing the neighborhood talk about the newcomer and especially Offut's extravagant praise of his clerk, who, according to Offut's statement, knew took the child with him. No sooner did the little fellow reach States and could beat the whole country at running, jumping or "wras tling," they decided that the time had come to assert themselves and strove to bring about a trial of strength be-

> ing and puiling," as he called it, and had no desire to come to blows with his neighbors, put off the encounter as long as possible. At length even his good temper was powerless to avert it, and the wrestling match took place. had tackled a man as strong and skillful as himself, and his friends, seeing him likely to get the worst of it, swarmed to his assistance, almost succeeding, by tripping and kicking, in getting Lincoln down. At the unfair-

ness of this Lincoln became suddenly and furiously angry, put forth his en tire strength, lifted the pride of Clary's Grove in his arms like a child and, holding him high in the air, almost choked the life out of him. It seemed for a moment as though a general fight must follow; but even while Lincoln's fierce rage compelled their respect his quickly returning self control won their admiration, and the crisis was safely

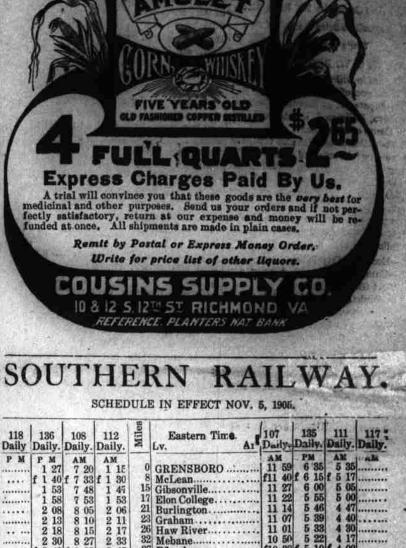
passed. Instead of becoming enemies and leaders in a neighborhood feud, as might have been expected, the two grew to be warm friends, the affection

thus strangely begun lasting through life. They proved useful to each other in various ways, and years afterward Lincoln made ample amends for his rough treatment of the other's throat by saving the neck of Jack Armstrong's son from the halter in a memorable trial for murder. The Clary's Grove "boys" voted Lincoln "the cleverest fel low that ever broke into the settle ment," and thereafter took as much pride in his peaceableness and book learning as they did in the rougher and more questionable accomplishments of their discomfited leader .- Helen Nicolay

In St. Nicholns.

Immaterial.

Aunt Hepsy was in ecstasies over the young lady her nephew, Ike, was going to marry. "I never saw her till last week," she said, "but I fell in love with her at first sight myself. She's good, sweet, amiable and as pretty as a picsort of poison which ruins a certain



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President Morates has left Santo Domingo City, his destination being generally unknown.

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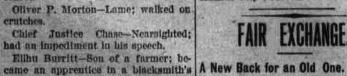
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rades. Not a man turned as the vig- could not stop her. It took all the sails orons, burning blows descended on his out of the chosen valedictorian, who folnaked back. Sometimes they would lowed, and after the exercises there seize the brand in their hands and rub was much wailing and hot words. We It over their flesh as if it were a couldn't do a thing, as the sinner was sponge and they were giving them-now a graduate of the school, and we had no right to punish her, but it took danced and whipped and rubbed until all seemed a dazzling ring of fire to the of such a stuaning performance."-New onlookers. York Press. And were there sore and blistered

backs the next day under the careless-Progressive Matrimony. ly worn blankets? Apparently not, for "You can always tell a young husblood. Unless they do this, good health Dr. Matthews saw and talked with the band from an old one by the way he actors directly after the dance, and acts when he goes after a bucket of they seemed to experience no discom- water," says Uncle Hiram. "Three

months married, he swings the pump His explanation of the secret does not handle, whistles and casts covert include the mysterious compound which glances at the house as though some the Indians spat upon each other. That, one were looking at him from the winhe thinks, was probably of no value. dow. One year married, he swings the But cedar bark ignities at a low tempump handle more slowly, smilles ocperature, and the white earth with casionally and seems to be annoyed bewhich the men were thickly coated was cause the meal is late. Two years maran excellent nonconductor .-- Youth's ried, he looks sour and glum, kicks the cat over the coal house and looks at the

house as if he would like to choke somebody. Three years married, he BARRIER BREAKERS. Peter Cooper-Was only one year at his wife works the pump handle."-Kansas City Journal.



A New Back for an Old One. How it Is Done in New Bern.

Estey, the organ maker-Given away The back aches at times with a dull, at four years of age; had scarcely any indescribable feeling, making you weary and restless; piercing pains shoot across the region of the kidneys, and Nelson W. Aldrich-Entered Providence on foot, with his clothes strung again the loins are so lame to stoop is Andrew Carnegle-Son of an immi-grant; worked as bobbin boy in a mill for \$1.20 a week. Alexander II. Stephens-A dwarf; Andrew Carnegle-Sou of an immi-

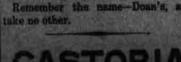
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proportion of those who-are exposed to it, though strong constitutions survive. As rum destroys savages, so wealth tends to destroy persons-especlally young ones, whom use and training have not gradually made immune to its effects. How that is may readily be noticed in observing the effects of newly won wealth on the families of the winners. It is a rare man and usually one very much blessed in his wife. who can combine with the ability that wins him riches the sagacity to train children born in comparative poverty so that they will benefit by a rapid and radical improvement in his circum stances.-Edward S. Martin in Atlantle.

The Fish Net.

A curlous custom was at one time in rogue at Gloucester, Mass., which ilinstrates the sacredness which seems to surround a fish net and the protection which the law affords that class of property. Whenever it became necessary to quarantine a house because of smallpox or other contagious disease the quarantine was effected by stringing nets about the building on the out-side. The penalty for disturbing a net was so great that no one dared to meddle with the barrier.

A Human Compass.

Little Jack-What did papa mean by saying that he was the captain of this ship? Ma-Oh, that is only his way of saying that he is the head of the house. Little Jack-If pa is captain, then what are you? Ma-Well, I suppose I am the pilot. Little Jack-Oh, yes, and then I must be the compass. Ma-The compass? Why the compass? Little Jack-Why, the captain and pilot are always boxing the compass, you know! geon."

The Bitter Truth.

"After all, I guess it doesn't cost nuch to live in New York." "It may not cost much to live," re-lied the man who had tried it, "but it

costs a lot to make people believe you're living."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Unseen Chance Be not too presumptuously sure in any business, for things of this world depend on such a train of unseen chances that if it were in man's hands' to set the tables still he would not be certain to win the game.—Herbert.

Canno For Snepleton. Wiggs-Why do you always regard alm with suspicion? Wagg-Weil, er-try time I see him he has a different ambrelia.-Philadelphin Becord.

"What's her name?" asked the listeners.

"Maria." "Maria what?" Aunt Hepsy wrinkled her forehead, pursed up her lips, looked at the celling and gave it up. "I declare, I can't think of her othe

name." The general hugh that followed this confession nettied Aunt Hepsy.

"What's the difference about her las name anyway?" she said explosively. "It's only temporary. She's going to change it!"-Youth's Companion.

Old Time Astronomers.

Kepler, the astronomer of the seventeenth century, explained rather quaintly why so many mediaeval astronomers were obliged to dabble in the occult sciences. "Ye overwise philosophers," he wrote to his "Tertius Interveniens," "ye censure this daughter of astronomy beyond her deserts. Know ye not that she must support her mother by her charms? The scanty reward of an astronomer would not provide him with bread, if men did not entertain hopes of reading the future in the heavens."

Mr. Spurgeon as a Smoker. The Rev. W. Williams in his "Per sonal Reminiscences of C. H. Spur geon" tells an anecdote concerning the great preacher as a smoker. Some gentleman wrote to Mr. Spurgeon, saying he had heard he smoked and could not believe it true. Would Mr. Spurgeon write and tell him if it really was sof The reply sent was as follows: "Dear ---, I cultivate my flowers and burn my weeds. Yours truly, C. H. Spur-

Eut He Wonldn't Tell.

Gaybol-1 had the bulliest chance klas another follow's girl in the dark the other night. What would you have done under the circumstances? Rounder-I would have kissed her, sure. What did you do? Gayboi-Weil, I won't say what I did, but I'm glad you approve my course of action.-Judge.

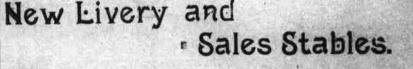
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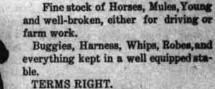
"Did the jury find the prisoner guilty?" inquired a man concerning a burgtar. "No, sir," responded the policeman. "They didn't find him at all. He got

What makes life dreary is the want of a motive.-George Ellot.

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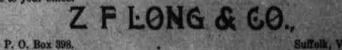
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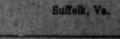
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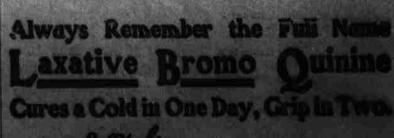
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