

WOMAN IN LATIN AMERICA.

Her Present Condition in Striking Contrast With That of Former Years.

Mexico has a normal school for women teachers in the City of Mexico, in which free instruction in a four year course is given to students. The government has provided for the education of women in a literary and scientific institute which has a high grade of study. A Yecum for women was also founded in 1878, which takes up subjects that are considered essential to the professional training of woman.

What "They" Say.

"That silver toilet ware is no longer the correct caper, but that every girl who knows what is in vogue in making a collection of brushes, mirrors and toilet boxes of old yellow ivory." "That silk petticoats, however dainty, are to be superseded by fine linen and lace trimmed lawn for house and carriage wear."

"That gloves and shoes, to be thoroughly nice must fit easily, without pinching." "That 'stays' is now the proper way to speak of them." "That the girl Anglo-maniac wears 'boots' and 'coats' and 'petticoats' instead of shoes, jackets and 'blouses'."

"That the excessive use of perfume is in bad taste, but that handkerchiefs, fans and hosiery kept in suit cases are extremely dainty and desirable." "An Ottawa Civil Service Sindy." "He was a scientist, and far had gone on in the Through Canada, United States and England, whence he came."

USEFUL INFORMATION. A New Principle in the Manufacture of Bank Notes. A new principle has been suggested in the manufacture of bank notes. If a sheet of paper be plunged into a mixture of various coloring matters, each color will penetrate into every fibre with a different degree of speed.

ABOUT BANK CHECKS.

MANY POINTS ABOUT THEM USEFUL TO KNOW.

Fast This in Your Hat or Keep it in Your Office for Reference.—The Nature and Functions of Checks.

Bank checks possess many advantages for the conduct of business, and are used to a proportionally great extent. They are in nature but orders for the payment of money, and are payable in the order in which they are presented, not according to that in which they are drawn.

Checks should be dated. If not dated at all, and they do not contain any statement as to when they are to be paid, they are never payable. They may be ante or post-dated, as well as dated on the day in which they are drawn.

A Tree of Solid Acate. It forms a Substantial Bridge Over a Canyon in Arizona. A mining expert sent to investigate some Arizona properties for the purpose of the most remarkable natural bridge, formed by a tree of agatized wood, spanning a canyon 40 feet in width.

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AN ELECTRIC COMPARISON.

Amusing Advances in the Application of Electricity Since 1878.

How rapid the development of the electrical arts has been within the past few years may be seen by comparing the electrical exhibits at the Columbian Exposition in Philadelphia, in 1876, with those at the Columbian Exposition now at Chicago.

The Lightning Rod. The lightning rod is a galvanic battery of zinc, iron and copper plates, for school illustration and measuring instruments such as galvanometers and resistance coils.

Prof. A. G. Dulacur in Cosmo-politan. In after years water washed and ate away the sandstone until a canyon was left in which had been formed. The trunk visible above the canyon varies in size from 4 feet to 3 feet in diameter.

Women's Kindness to Women. Favorite masculine jokes are those at the expense of women's unkindness to women, and the reciprocity of the bearing which flatteringly contradicts both of the sweeping assertions.

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GUARDED NAPOLEON.

A Controversial Who Watched the Great Frenchman at St. Helena.

There is now living at Basingstoke, says The London Daily Graphic, an old soldier who kept watch on Napoleon Bonaparte at St. Helena. James Smith, for such is his name, was born at Basingstoke on February 3, 1793.

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SUSPENDED FROM THE MINISTRY.

Rev. J. Stinson Suspended by the Presbytery—Suspended for a Year.

ORANGEVILLE, July 15.—About two years ago the Rev. J. C. Stinson, who was then residing in Toronto, took charge of the Presbyterian church at Haring's Mills. It is claimed that he represented himself as a single man, and soon became very popular among the young ladies of his congregation.

ENTERTAINING FAIR GUESTS. Two Chicago Girls Dine at a Refreshing Soda Fountain. They met at a soda fountain and greeted each other languidly.

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