The Scope of Maximilian's Execution-Churches and Plazas.

One of the most interesting cities in Mexico, yet least known to the outside world, is Queretaro-capital of the state of the same name, writes a correspondent of the New York Post. I: was founded by the Aztecs about the middle of the fifteenth century, and in 1531 was conquered by the Spaniards, under Fernando de Tapia, a lieutenant of Cortez. It lies a little to the south of the centre of the republic, on the celebrated mesa central (central table-land) of Mexico. Humboldt gives its elevation as 6,363 feet above the gulf, but modern engineers place it some three hundred feet lower. In 1655 King Philip IV. of Spain declared it "a noble and loyal city." Its present population is about 42,000. The old town has had more than its share of historical happenings. In 1810, the momentous year when the patriot priest of Dolores, Miguel Hidalgo de Costella (the George Washington of Mexico) struck the first blow for independence, several stormy meetings were held here by revolters from the Spanish rule. From this city, in September of the same year, went the opportune notice-sent to Hidalgo and Allende by the wife of Collector Domingu z-which saved the unifulled the treachery of one of his officers, C. 1. church. Miguel L pez, the unfortunate emperor The series of field operations which tions. plebeian President Juarez, besought par- army marching upon Bordeaux. don for the royal adventurer from Miramar. The government of the United ment, and not long since three plain slabs of dark-red stone were erected on El Cerro de las Campanas over the exact

spot where the trio fell. Like all Mexican towns, Queretaro contains innumerable churches and plazas Among the latter, perhaps the most beautiful is one in the centre of the city before the church of Santa Clara, with broadleaved banana trees surrounding the antique fountain, and its quaint old monument, erected to the memory of the Marquis de Villas del Aquila, a former patron the more delightful because apparently uncared for. Its dedly shaped benches of pink-tinted adobe; set among weeds and wild flowers, woo the passer-by. Along its circular drives, under ancient groves of ash trees, the aristocracy of the old town, in their clumsy gorgeous equipages, are wont to air themselvess at the sunset hour,

canvas or woven straw. the cathedral de San Francisco and the game of chance. the monastery door and all the stones point of view, it is prohibited." surounding it have been worn hollow by knees of generations of worshippers. Lingering in this now deserted spot, one can fancy the procession of cowled monks of the order called Padres Camilos, each with his lighted candle, filling out from under the gloomy arches in solemn procession, chanting as they go, to perform their evening devotions around La Cruz del Carmen. Against the protests of our guide, we entered the dark and crumbling cloisters, atumbling over broken pavement into the mouldy cells where pious men spent weary lives in a persistent effort to win heaven. On the walls of some of the corridors large paintings skulls or enduring horrible martyrdom, whose austere examples the Padres Camilos endeavored to emulate.

What She was Locking For.

A young married man worries the life half out of his wife by quoting for her benefit all sorts of maxims, adages, mo toes, and so on. The other day she was died a few years ago aged 87. sitting by him and playfully slipping her hand into his vest pocket. "What are you after, dear?" he asked.

"Oh, a mickel or a dime or a dollar; I don't care which," she replied. "That's good ; you don't expect to find bristles on a goose, do you dear?' "Of course not, darling; I wasn't ook

ing for bristles. She smiled up at him so significantly that he didn't throw off another proverb for a week.

A Grateful Frog

A correspondent writes to Nature "Last night I rescued a freg from the claws of a cat, and, to my great su'prise, it turned, and, after gazing at me for a few seconds, jumped slightly toward me, halting after each leap and looking up into my face. It thus gradually approached, and in about two or three minutes had actually climbed upon one of my feet. Its mute appeal for protection was most remarkable, and could not possibly be misunderstood."

Ingenious Idea

means of the line, thus saving consider- was 35,290, as against 29,000 in the cor- years there would be 253; at the end of with some men doesn't pay. The "penny well as ever. The case is most remark- Route ring contractors within a few able expense.

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FOREIGN

A Horse Census in Kussla-The North Sea Fisheres, -The Established Church in Scot'and. Etc., etc.

There is some question of an international conference at the Hague, to take measures against the sale of spirituous liquors to the North Sea fishermen, and especially against the vessels following them out to sea in order to sell spirits.

little army of patriots from total exter- Whitehold Review, that Mr. Gladstone Kolomalverein, founded at the end of degree of certainty. We know that thousmination. On May 30, 1848, the treaty will, if spared, make an effort to disestab- 1882, numbered 2,400 members only a ands and thousands of farmers scattered of peace was ratified in Queretaro which lish the church of Scotland. He owes twelvementh later, and has now branche over nearly the whole of this country, are closed the war with the United States, too much to the dissenters of Scot- in all principal towns in South Germany. using commercial fertilizers to a greater On the heights near the town the so-called land to refuse to lead an attack upon the All these associations, however, have or less extent, with results that are so battle (thirty against four hundred) was church, and if the result of the next done little else than draw up pompous satisfactory that their use is continued fought under Col. Bocines. In 1867, general election be toreturn a liberal programmes and make a good deal of and increased from year to year. while Maximilian was in command, the government to power' there is no noise, the only exception being the Ber- know that upon our own farm, fertilizers city was besieged by the liberal army, donbtone of their early measures will be lin Central Society (for the development) were applied exclusively, upon those porunder Gen. Escobedo; when, through one for the destruction of the Scottish of German interests abroad) which is tions which were most remote from the

was taken prisoner, and his forces sud- the 17th French army corps is shortly to The Dominican order in Austria-Hundealy surrendered to the republicans. go through is based upon a reminiscence gary is divided into three provinces -- the ures, and brought as large crops as other Then, as all the world knows, Maximilian of the events of the peninsular war in Galician, Dalmatian, and the so-called portions of the farm upon which stable was tried before a court-martial, and sen- 1814. The prevailing idea of the opera- Austro-Hungarian province, The last manures were applied. We know too, tenced to be shot in Queretaro Persist- tions is a plan to meet a march similar to named province has during the last thirty that stable manure hauled and spread upent but unavailing efforts were made to the effected by Wellington from Spain years gradually introduced the original on these outlying acres would have cost save his life. The Princess Salm-Salm into France-Soult, no longer able to de- strict rules of the order, which all houses us more per acre than did the commercial tant), and upon her knees, before the threaten the right flank of the English Thomas Anschul, an Italian, and an ad- we are not informed how much was ap-

States was appealed to in vain. None of ing the rank and file in the art of shoot- according to a milder rule, and the result the majority of cases, used a far greater the European potentates ventured to in- ing by furnishing them with handker- of the visitation was that the Dominicans value of the latter than of the former per rades in arms, Gens. Miramon and Mejia rifle and its use are explained has been stricter or true Dominican rule. This ad- a fair trial. We believe the fertilizer -was shot on June 19, 1867. His body carried a step further. The pocket-hand- monition has met with resistance, and manufacturers have been somewhat at was afterward taken to Vienna for inter- kerchief is now being used to familiarize the resignation of the prior is spoken of. fault in this matter by claiming more for Russians with the history of their heroes. It is believed, however, that, as in the their goods than experience would war-According to a Warsaw paper, a Moscow Austro-Hungarian province, so in Gali- rant. Farmers have been afraid to buy firm has just manufactured a number of cia, the stricter rule may with discretion and apply fertilizers as liberally as they Landkerchiefs on which are depicted the be gradually introduced. chief incidents in the life of General

Among the interesting exhibitions pro- case of Kitson vs. the Duke of Newcastle, mised for the year 1885, that of Russian for the appointment of a testamentary historical furniture which is to be held at guardian of the infant Duke of Newcastle. Petersburg will be much appreciated by Mrs. Hope, his maternal grandmother, antiquarians and artists. The primitive who died a few months ago, was resident chairs and tables of the ancient Slavs, as in France. and by her will she constituted well as the costly furniture which at pre- the infant Duke of Newcastle universal Alamedo—a park of many acres, which is sent adorns the residences of the rich, and legatee of all her property. According to the bright colored deal goods in the mou- the law of France, that was prima facie jik's cottage, will be exhibited, and ap- not good, but the proper course to be peals are at present being made to furni- pursued was to apply to the courts of the ture dealers and others possessing antique country to be let into possession, and if furniture to send their goods to the com- other parties interested had no objection,

The Paris police are making vigorous efforts to put down betting-houses, and while in the leafy shadows lovers are al- the other day three bookmakers were ways straying. The market places are fined various amounts by the tribunal of even more picturesque and interesting the Seine. The reason given by the prethan the more romantic breathing places. sident for the conviction of the offenders In them a crowd of buyers and sellers are are somewhat curious. Betting-houses, constantly vociferating in soft-vowelled he remarked, must be governed by the Spanish their wares, spread upon the same law as gaming-houses; "because the ground, under huge umbrella-like shade of majority of the public who frequent these places are not competent to form a ration-Among the most noteworthy of the al opinion as to the relative prospects of numerous sanctuaries in Queretaro are the horses, and, therefore, betting is a

and rains of 350 years have almost eff.ced these infirmities in order to gain a living beginning: the inscription upon the great granite | thereby : considering also that this exploitcross which is set in the pavement before | tation of children is immoral from every | spitting blood-take it easy."

> The Auguste Comte anniversary was celebrated recently on the 24th Gutenberg in the Positivist calendar, by the Paris disciples of the great philosopher. One of the features of the celebration was a visit to the cemetery of Pere La Chaise. to place a wreath upon his tomb. The monument of Auguste Comte, which stands just to the right of that of Casimir Perier, is of a very simple character. It bears the inscription "Lamour pour principe, l'orde pour base, le progres pour but. On each side of the tomb is a green-paint ed bench, which is seldom unoccupied.

are still to be seen-representations of at Seaham Park, Seaham Harbor, aged exchanging guesses as to what was the the sufferings of Carist, and the Virgin 100 years. He was born in 1784, and matter with Petersburg. Ten minutes in the various thases of her glory, inter- for the past thirteen years has been bed- passed. They began to call Petersburg persed with saints contemplating grinning ridden. Up to twelve months ago his hard names. Fifteen minutes, New York memory was good, and he could talk of was beginning to get impatient, and was events which came under his observation just about to cut Petersburg out and conduring the closing year of the last centu- tinue the report to the other papers, ry. According to the France, there is a when the interfering key was suddenly woman living at St. Just-de-Claix, in the closed. Washington put the repeater department of Isore, who was born in through, and then this from the Index-1761, so that she is now in her 124th Appeal: year. Her name is Marte Girard, nee Durand. She was married in 1779 at St. Just, and had two children, one of whom Go shead address."

continues for any great length of time it great campaign ended for him, was carried is likely to become extremely unpopular out. with the French ladies. It is certain that the continuance of hostilities will have the effect of materially increasing The amount imported in 1882 was nearly to lose their meaning. In 1879 all signs while to try the experiment. Sow Sw

A horse census has been held in Russia, the most there is a slight shower. with the result that there were in the 58 provinces of European Russia 19,674,723 horses, of which nearly 6,000,000 were A statistician, Dr. Farr, we believe it bulbs will be in exact proportion to the iron breech pin, 11 inches long and weigh in the military circle of Kazan. Con- was, recently stated that if one could richness of the foliage, and the yield of ing 615 grains, was blown into the brain siderable complaints have been made on watch the march of 1,000,000 people the deeply tilled rows will far exceed that of Emerson McCoin of Muncie, Ind. It is told of a man in Connecticut who the great and increasing exportation of through life, the following would be ob- of the others, while the first will, This heavy piece of iron, several pieces wanted to put a water pipe through a horses to foreign countries, the annual servable : Nearly 150,000 would die the by comparison, appear a poor and scanty of bone, and a piece of his felt hat were drain several feet below the surface of the number of which, previous to 1878 varied first year, 53,000 the second year, 28,000 crop, however clear of weeds the surface withdrawn from quite a depth in his head ground, without digging up the drain from 6,000 to 10,000, but never exceeded the third year, and less than 4,000 in the may have been kept." To accomplish it he tied a string to a the latter. After that period, however, a thirteenth. At the end of forty-five cat's leg, thrust her into one end of the rapid rise took place, amounting to 19,000 years 500,000 have died. At the end of drain, and giving a terrific "scat," the in 1879, to 24,000 in 1880, to 32,540 in sixty years 370,000 would be still living ; feline quickly appeared at the other end; 1881, and in 1882 to 35,269. As the at the end of eighty years, 97,000; at the pipe was drawn through the drain by number exported last year up to Sep. 1 eighty-five, 31,000; and at ninety-five There are several reasons why farming from the hot rays of the sun, and is as cution of civil suits against the Star

NOTES. importation of the whole year is believed to exceed 45,000. It has been proposed to remedy the evil by instituting an export tax of 50 gold rubles on every horse the value of which is under 300 rubles.

chiefly occupied with commercial ques- source of supply of stable manure.

vocate of the strictest rule, was recently plied per acre, but we do say that so far The ingenuous method adopted by directed by the general of the order to as we have observed, those who use fer-

> Application has been made in London to Mr. Justice Wills, vacation judge, in a the courts would make such an order. It was necessary, however, before the application could be made that a testamentary guardian to the Duke should be appointed by the English courts. Under these circumstances it was asked that the Duke of Hamilton should be so appointed. Mr. Justice Wills granted the appli-

His Campaign Ended.

New York was sending slowly. t-h-e c-i-t-y h-a-l-l, w-h-1-c-h w-a-s d-e-n- feed, cheaper than in any other form .s-e-l-y c r-o-w-d-e-d. A-d-d-r-e-s-s-e-s N. E. Farmer. w-e-r-e m a-d-e b-y C-o-n-g-r-e-s-s m-a-n H-o-r-r-o-f M-i-c-h-i-g-a-n, S-t-e-w-a-r-t o-f V-e-r-m-o-n-t, a-n-d F-r-o-s-t o-f M-a-i-n-e. S-e-n-a-t-o-r E-d-m-u-n-d-s p-r-e-s-i-d-e-d. T-h-e f-o-l-l-o-w-i-n-g i-s ve-r-b-a-t-i-m r-e-p-o-r-t o-f h-i-s a-d-

Suddenly from The Index-Appeal 'Bk-Bk-Bk-," and left his York had to stop sending. Washington cut the repeaters, and the different offices Mr. T. Brough, a farmer, died recently gossiped with each other over the wires

> "Cummins, regular press operator, just died. Hemmorrhage. I'm his sub.

And Senator Edmunds' speech went on, If the war between France and China while the body of Ned Cummins, the

Weather Forecasts. senators and deputies may find it difficult | may be a "hollow and a blustering wind," to resist the pressure which their wives swallows may fly low, sluffs come out in bear upon them in the interests of peace. etc., but the weather remains dry, or at foliage of the plants; the others will be

Interesting Figures

AGRICULTURAL.

Fertilizer vs. Manure.

One who has made several experimen It is a curious fact that the centres of in the use of different kinds of commer-German colonial policy do not, as might cial fertilizers, among them some of the be expected, lie in the large seapor- most popular brands in market, wants to towns, but in such places as Frankfort-ont know why it is that no fertilizer has ever the-Main, Dusseldorf, and Bremen, each brought him as good crops as he gets from of which lies at least twelve hours by the use of animal manures. He even rail from the nearest north German port. goes so far as to affirm that he has rarely Frankfort, especially, is a centre where received any more value in crop than the for some years past the colonization ma- cost of fertilizer applied. Now we are It appears all but certain, says The nia has been very strong. The Deutscher unable to answer these questions with any

A five acre corn field was manured six years in succession with commercial manapply stable manure from their own yards and the manufacturers have claimed that a less amount of fertilizer in value is re quired than of stable manure to bring

equally heavy crops. To a farmer who has been unsuccessful Coleration in Lonkon of the First Balloon in the use of fertilizers, we should say. do not use th'emlonger upon a large scale, but experiment in a small way and en- has been celebrated at London, and the ence becomes considerable when we take scent before them. quently and heavily cropped.

"Not feeling very well to-night-been all situated convenient to the farm buildings. He keeps a dairy and buys grain largely, and it is not impossible that he T-h-e e-x-e-r-c-i-s-e-s w-e-r-e h-e-l-d i-n can buy fertilizers, in the form of grain to

Stirring the Soil Deeply.

The advantage to growing crops derived from stirring the soil deeply, is not generally appreciated or realized. Very seldom is any attempt made to stir the soil deeply. Nearly all the work of cultivation is limitkey open, interrupting the message. New ed to the superficial portion of the soil, merely to ensure the destruction of weeds. If farmers would endeavor to stir the soil theroughly, and frequently, during the growing season, between the rows of corn and vegetables, they would greatly increase the yields. If grains were sown in rows, so as to admit of stirring the soil frequently between the rows, great benefit would be derived thereby. "Besides preparatory tillage of the soil before sowing the seed," writes Rham, "there is a great advantage in the stirring of it as the plants are growing. On this depends all the merit of the new culture for every kind of plant, especially those which have esculent roots or extensive foliage, and which are chiefly cultivated for the sustenance of cattle. The effect of deep tillage is here most remarkable. If rows of turnips or cabbages be sown at such a distance that a small plough or other stirring implement can be used between them, and the intervals be stirred more or less, and at different depths, it will be It seems to be overlooked by meteor- found that the deeper and more frequent the cost of one still important accessory ologists, says a writer in the Journal of the tillage, and until the feliage cavers to the French female toilet-the chignon. Science, that when a season has taken a the whole interval, or the bulbs swell to The importation of hair forms quite an decided character, whether as wet or dry, a great size, the heavier and more abunimportant branch of French commerce. the ordinary indications of change seem dant the produce will be. It is wed-150.000 pounds; it had risen to over 350, of fair weather, drawn from the appear- ish turnips or mangel wurzel in rows three 000 in 1883. It is stated that by far the ance of the clouds, the action of birds feet apart; let some of the rows be merelarger portion of it comes from the thick- and insects, etc., were quite misleading. ly kept clear of weeds by surface hoeing, ly peopled provinces of the Celestial em- And in the present season I have more and the plants be thinned out to the dispire. A war which threatens to send up than once sen the commonly accepted tance of a foot apart; let other intervals be the price of tea, silk and false hair all at signs of rain go for nothing. The sky stirred to different depths; some three once is not likely to be popular with may become gradually overcast, with inches, some six inches, and some nine French women, and the more bellicose dark ragged masses of underscud; there inches, or more. The result will be that the first rows will appear to have been much too far from each other, not and daughters are capable of bringing to numbers, bubbles of gas rise from ditches, half the ground being covered with the

covered more and more as the tillage has been deeper, and the last will completely cover the whole interval. The roots, or

Why Farming Doesn't Pay.

responding period of the year before, the 108 years there will be one survivor. | wise and pound foolish" system of breed- able.

nearly or quite as much to raise a pair of scrub steers, which when four years old Figures that Indicate the Tende recent will girt only about six feet, as it does to

they are about being remedied.

produce hen chickens and long eggs pro-

A BALLOONING CENTURY.

Ascent in England.

trip that an application 200 to loon from Edinburgh August 27, 1784: in the German Empire. Commerce and summit she completely gave out. Before but the occasion was little noticed, and the carrying trade, including shipping, this she had been aided down the trail by end casing for almost his claims were not fully recognized until railways, and hotel-keeping, employ 4, the guide who did all in his power to asany crop. Theat, or other small grains 54 years later. Lunardi's achievement on 531,080 individuals in Germany, and in sist her. When exhaustion overcame her receiving a heavier dressing, are likely to the other hand, attracted wide attention this respect it is outstripped by France, the guide made an attempt to carry her About 10 o'clock one night the tele- lodge before the grain matures, and thus and aroused enormous enthusiasm. Lun- notwithstanding that the railway mileage down the trail. Miss Welton weighed graph operator in the Times editorial room the yield is reduced. We never feared ardi employed hydrogen gas, and his ball is less, and that the Germans are noteriabout 140 pounds, and as the trail is so was receiving over their special wires the to use from six to eight hundred pounds loon was scarcely ten feet in diameter, ously the greater travellers of the two. rough and precipitous that travelling it United Press report of the opening of the per acre for any crop, nor to double it and its car was furnished with two oars, The army, navy, gendarmerie, and police without any burden is considered a feat of churches of San Augustin, Santa Domin- M. Cambon, the French prefect of the republican campaign at Burlington, Vt. when two crops were grown on the same which were expected to govern the course. Comprise in France 432,174 the addition daring and atrength, young Lamb found go, Santa Clara, El Carmen de la Cruz, Nord, has just published a degree pro- Among the other papers in the same cir- land in a single year. Nor were we afraid One of these fell to the ground, and fright- of the wives and families bringing the it extremely difficult to make any proand Santa Rosa. The finest is Santa hibiting the exhibition of deformed or cuit receiving the message simultaneous to use a ton per acre, when bone was the ened a young woman to death, who be-Clara, with its equisite carvings in gilded fat children at fairs and other public ly by the same wire was the Petersburg principal ingredient in the fertilizer, for lieved that the aeronaut was dropping; army alone numbers 451,825, or, with to grope his way. For two hours he wood, and the convent attached, which in places. "Considering," says M. Cambon Index-Appeal. The message ticked out we believe that what the plants failed to but, on the other hand, it is said that the but, on the other hand, it is said that the plants failed to but, on the other hand, it is said that the land it is sai wood, and the convent attached, which seemed get the first year would be taken by other days was one of the richest and "that it is the custom to exhibit deform- at a slow and steady pace, which seemed get the first year would be taken by other ascension saved the life of a young man functionaries and officials, together with was only able to make two-thirds of a most arist cratic in all Catholic Mexico. ed or extraordinarily fat children at all to add dignity to the names of the pro-To me by far the more interesting is the seasons at public shows and fairs; and minent orators present. The operator in cept from the interest on the investment. hastily returning a verdict of not guilty 579,422, and in this respect again France During this time Miss Welton was growtumble-down ruins of El Carmen de la considering that those who thus exhibit The Index-Appeal office had said to the We believe in a fat soil, whether made so in order to witness the strange sight in heads the list with 689,000. Germany ing more and more numb with the cold. Cruz, with monastery adjoining. The winds children might be tempted to develop sending operator in New York at the ty the use of animal manures or by fertilizers. Our inquirer has a small farm, up a Cabinet meeting for the same pur- fession, and this army is reinforced by more furious. At 10 o'clok the guide pose. But England can claim very little women and children bringing it up to 1,- gave out, and sitting down he told Miss credit in the matter. The English people | 908,309, in addition to which a class con- | Welton of his condition. He, too, was had shown great apathy and even riotous sisting of those preparing for work, such getting so benumbed that he could hardantipathy to ballooning, and five weeks be- (as students and apprentices, number 327- | Iv walk, and the only chance of saving fore Lunardi's ascent had torn a French- | 000, while there are also 938,244 which | either of their lives, he told her, was for man's fire-balloon to shreds at Chelsea. | include housekeepers, day servants, and | him to hurry on and seek assistance. At Nor could Lunardi at the last find an the like. France has only 747,088 actu- first she objected to being left alone, but Englishman to accompany him, and his ally without a prefession, but has 2,121,- finally consented to remain until Lamb companions were a dog, a cat, and a pi- 173 living on their means, which is tanta- could return. geon. This was the beginning of aerial mount to the same thing : and there is a The horses were hitched about two travel in England, though it was over 15 small batch of 191,316 of p ofesssionalin- miles further on cown the trail, and for months after the memorable June day at connues, which, if all the secrets were these, Annonay, France, when the Montgolfiers known, would form a remarkable series AFTER BIDDING MISS WELTON FAREWELL, sent up their linen globe, through the of revelations. The number of those who buoyancy of smoke as they then thought. live on their means (von eigernem Vemog M. Charles, professor of natural philoso- en) in Germany is placed at 1,593 125, phy at Paris, had sent up a balloon filled | which is very considerably less than the with hydrogen gas 14 months before, or French contigent, and tells in favour of on August 27, 1783; and very many as- the Germans, as possessing less idle one cents had been made in France before in a household. Domestic service in Lunardi's achievement, the first having France employs 2,557,266 of whom from been made in a captive Montgolfier, Oc- 130,000 to 180,000 would be personal ser tober 15, 1783, by François Pilater de vants, while 105,404 men and 281,380 Rozier, a young naturalist. Even Amer- women are returned as attendants in hoica, though but just emerged from the tels and resturaunts. The domestic class exhausting struggle for national life, and in Germany is only 1,324,924. The oc tedates England in aerial experiments. cupations depending upon eating, drink Messrs. Rittenhouse and Hopkins, of the ing, and lodging comprise 1,164,590 in Philosophical Academy of Philadelphia, dividuals in France, as against 756,647 in carried on researches nearly simultaneous- Germany, a fact which will be patent t ly with the Montgolfiers, and soon after those who are acquainted with the two the receipt of the news of the French ex- countries and know the different degree periments they hired a carpenter named of estimation in which the art and graces James Wilcox to ascend in a machine con- of living are held. sisting of 47 hydrogen gas balloons attached to a car. Wilcox remained in the air about ten minutes, when through fear of dropping into the river he cut several of Charles left it, unless indeed the new them would be useless and too painful. orado Springs. The body was sent to claims of M. Renard, of which much is There is, however something that is New York for burial. now being said in France, shall prove war- cheening in the midst of all the darkness,

Remarkable Surgical Operation.

"anted by the facts.

By the explosion of a gun last April an opening in the frontal bone, through every direction. which half a teaspoonful of brains oozed. The wound has healed and the patient

ing from scrub stock doesn't pay. It costs FRANCE AND GERMANY COMPARED. of the most fashionable summer resorts in

Yaise a thrifty pair of shorthorns or Here- M. Paul Leroy-Beaulieu has recently residence in Estes Park, stopping at one ford grades, which at the same age will made an interesting comparison between of the principal hotels, her friends, among measure seven feet or more, and sell for the industrial population of France and them Mrs. Warren of New York, remainnearly twice as much. The starving Germany, taking as a text the "Resultats ing at Colorado Springs, where the whole method of feeding farm stock doesn't pay. statistiques du denombrement de 1881"for party had spent several weeks previous. Many farmers feed their calves just en- the former country, and the "Statisches Miss Welton spent much of her time in ough to keep them alive, so that when a Jahrbruch fur das Deutsche Reich" for horseback riding and visiting the sur-

in Germany is 540,000 square kilometers as seen from above the guide knew that

The King of Italy's Heroism.

the balloons with his knife. The longest | they die. I go to Naples." Such was the tele- | handsomely mounted revolver. Her balloon voyage ever made is also to be graphic answer of the King to the inhabi- heavy kid gloves had been removed, and placed to the credit of the United States- tants of Pordenone begging his presence her diamond bedecked hands were coverone of 1,150 miles from St. Louis to Hen- at their races, and he came, and was re- in the snow. derson, N. Y., made by John Wise and ceived with an ovation. It is impossible | The two men carried the body between three companions in July, 1859, at an to describe the enthusiasm of these im- them as best they could, to where the average speed of nearly a mile a minute. [pulsive southerners-prayers, blessings, horses were tethered, and at nine o'clock England, on the other hand, can claim and tears met his Majesty whereever he the next morning arrived at the cabin. the highest ascent-seven miles, made appeared, and even the coldest heart can. Then a Justice of the Peace was sent for from Wolverhampton in September, 1862, not otherwise than beat gratefully for the and the case exp. ained to him. He had by Messrs. Glaisher and Coxwell for self-sacrifice which has impelled him to the body placed in a box, and then had it scientific purposes. But except for the encounter so much danger, and to witness conveye ed by a aggon to Longmont, a introduction of coal gas in 1827, balloon- such deplorable distress. The details are distance of sixty miles, where it was reing remains pretty much where Prof. | the same from day to day, and to repeat | ceived by friends who had come from Col-

> and that is the abnegation of the King. of those who accompany him, and of all the local authorities, and of those whose

It is stated that the United States deexperiences no inconvenience, except partment of justice will begin the proseweeks.

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DYING ABOVE THE CLOUDS,

A New York Girl's Fatal Ascent of Long's

Pank, Colorado.

Miss Carrie J. Welton, a wealthy young

lady from New York city, was frozen to

eath while making the ascent of Long's

l'eak recently. Long's Peak has an alti-

tude of 14,436 feet, and is one of the high-

est mountains in Colorade, and one of the

most difficult of ascent. Its summit,

which towers above the clouds, is covered

with snow during the entire summer, and

while it is the least travelled by tourists of

any of the high Colorado peaks, its ascent

has never been considered dangerous in

the pleasant summer and fall months. The

mountain is at the head of Estes Park, one

Miss Welton has been summering in

Colorado, and two weeks ago took up her

the Rocky Mountains.

the Two Nations.

year old they are not larger than they the latter. On the5th of June, 1882 (the rounding points of interest in the mounmight have been at four months, and are date of the "Jahrbuch"), the population tains. She resolved on making the asvery much thinner than they should of the German Empire was 45,222,113, cent of Long's Peak, which stood ss a have been at that age. Large, thrifty while that of the French Republic (Dec. huge sentinel at the head of the park, calves can be raised on skim milk even, 17,1881,) was 37,662,048. Germany, there- and for this purpose set out on Monday if fed with a sufficient quantity, and there fore, being about seven and a half mill- last on horseback. Seven miles away, at is no good reason why calves should not lons to the good, and that at a faster in- the foot of the peak, was a cabin occupied be so well fed as to keep growing thrifty creasing ratio than France, seeing that by a ranchman named Lamb and his wife all the time. At no other time in the life | the excess of births over deaths in 1885 and son. Here Miss Welton remained of the animal can flesh be laid on so cheap- was 425,000 in the one country and only for the night, first having engaged the ly as while it is young, and unless well 100,000 or so in the other. While bearing services of Carlisle Lamb, the son, aged fed then, the animal will become stunted, in mind that Germany is given to emigra- 19, to act as her escort and guide to the and no subsequent good feeding will se- tion, and France to immigration, the peak, he having acted in that capacity to cure the full development which might former population may be said to increase tourists on several occasions. have been attained by feeding well while at the rate of 350,000 per annum, and of Next morning at sunrise Miss Welton young. Keeping cows which yield a the latter at the rate of 150,000. Each and young Lamb, seated on sure-footed small quantity of milk of poor quality does decade sees some two million people bronchos, were wending their way up the not pay. It is simply a waste of fodder to more in the German proportion than in narrow and uneven trail leading to the feed such animals. Old cows which have | the French, so that by the time we reach summit. The weather was warm and outlived their usefulness are equally un- the year 1900 the excess will be close up- pleasant, and there was no forebodings that profitable. Buying hay doesn't pay. on 11,500,000. A comparison of the oc- a delightful trip above the clouds was not Some farmers, either from carelessness or cupations of the two countries shows some before them. It took five hours to make want of judgment, keep more stock than striking differences, owing to the habits the first seven miles, so difficult was the they have fodder for, and along towards and temperaments of the different na- trail. This brought them to the timber republican government, 160 miles disupon the basin of the Garonne, so as to
tant), and upon her knees before the label of the Garonne, and the show had then become so feeding ordinary farm stock are not suffi- more than in most countries, persons are decided to hitch the horses and proceed cient to repay the outlay, where much often found figuring in two or three cap- up the mountain on foot, as the banks of hay is purchased for feeding. It is better acities. It often happens, for instance, snow would bear the weights of men, Russian military authorities by instruct- visit the Galician province, which lives tilizer in place of animal manure have, in to be on the safe side in proportioning that a land-owner in the country (and re- while the horses would break through. the stock to the hay, even if a few tone turned as such) is a lawyer in the city, The air at this altitude was getting chilly, of hay are left over in the spring. It is while in the lower strata of society a wea- and the clouds were just above them. terfere; and Maximilian—with his com- the fortilizers better to summer over hay than to buy ver is as often as not an agricultural la- Wrapping themselves in heavy clothing hay. These are a few of the reasons why borer when textiles are slack, and many they proceeded on foot. The distance to farming doesn't pay on some farms, and a house domestic helps his employer in the summit was about four miles, and this the fields or in his office, being by turns ascent was made after much tedious delay a servant, a farm bailiff. or a clerk. These and hard work, the top of the black peak A poultry raiser says that short eggs however, are difficulties incidental to all being reached at about four o'clock in the census returns, moreor less. The number afternoon. Their stay at the peak was of those who live by farming or forestry | not of long duration. A heavy storm had in Germany, including women and child- in the meantime set in below them, and ren, is 19,225,455, the same great class THE DARK CLOUDS WERE BEING TUMBLED in France, representing 18,249,209; no very great difference when we consider in frightful confusion. From the rolling the relative similarity of surface, which and tumbling of the huge banks of clouds,

> The centenary of ballooning in England and in France 528,060, though the differ- he and his fair companion had a risky dedeavor to learn why it is that your ex- occasion had a special significance in the into account 7,500 000 extra population. Miss Welton, who had insisted on goperience differs so widely from the exper-ience of many others. Lands are not all experiments made by M. Renard, in ened by the fact that children are much a retreat, was now thoroughly frightened alike in character, neither are fertilizers France, that the problem of aerial navi- more abundant in Germany than in at the prospect of spending a night on the all alike, yet there are standard brands gation is nearing solution. The event France. It is, however, when we con- mountain and in a raging snow storm. It that can be depended upon for both uni- celebrated was the ascension made from sider the manual industries that the was about five o'clock when the return formity and high value. Our own most the artillery ground near Finsbury-square greatest difference appears. Mining, journey was started. They had not prosuccessful experiments were made upon September 15, 1785, by Vincent Lunardi, building, and handicraft trades generally ceeded far when the heavy storm cloud lands that were heavily fertilized and fre- the secretary of the Neapolitan ambassa- employ 16,058,080 persons in Germany, lifted, and the travellers found themselves dor. This was not the first ascent made while in France all industries (grandes et in the midst of a blinding snow storm, In the river valleys of New York State, in Great Britain. J. Tytler, who was petites) put together give occupation to the heaviest, the guide says, he ever saw and in Ohio, when the land is quite diff. virtually the editor of the second edition only 9,424,106, and this undoubtedly in the mountains. Miss Welton began to erent from muc, the hill land in New of the "Encyclopædia Britannica," took gives the keynote to the greater activity complain of being wearied, and after havengland, we found during our recent a brief trip in a Montgolfier hot-air bal-

the guide made the greatest possible speed. The moon had now arose and materially aided him on his way. The horses were found as they had been left, and mounting one of these and leading the other young Lamb hurried to his father's cabin, seven miles away. He made this distance in an hour, and informed his father of what had ocurred. Two fresh horses were at once saddled, and as soon as young Lamb had got warm the two men started for the place where Miss Welton had been left. It was four o'clock in the morning when they reached the point. Miss Welton was found stretched out in the snow dead. Her features were placid Sleepiness, the result of the cold, had evidently overcome her soon after the departure of her guide, and she had lain down in the snow bank, well knowing the fate which would soon overtake her. Beside her wasanivory handled riding whip, with her name and place of residence en-"At Pordenone they rejoice, at Naples graved thereon, and in her belt was a

An Intermitten Oil Well.

Phillips Bros. well near Cutler, Pa., is duty it is to assist the suffering. The one of the most phenomenal wells ever first visit of his Majesty, after a short re- seen in the whole oil regions, and all inpose, was to the Hospital of the Canoc- terest is now centered there, to the exchia. "I wish to see all," he said, when clusion of the lately discovered Glade dissomeone interposed to prevent his mount- trict, which is rapidly waning. Phillips' ing to the upper story. The Archbishop, well was drilled on Aug. 30, and has been whose visits to the hospital have been producing since over 1,300 barrels daily, daily, was already there to receive the reaching recently 100 barrels an hour. and without trepanning, by making an King, and accompanied his Majesty in It flows with the regularity of clockwork, minutes and a half, the flows lasting about four minutes. Large numbers of people

> A crank is a perion who does not alway. agree with you, but has opinions of h

visit the well.