

How a German Train is Started.

According to the *Railway Review*, an official of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railroad recently returned from Europe, referring to railway practice in Germany, says: "The roadbeds are about perfect, while the stations are simply magnificent, even in the most insignificant places being very fine. The roadbeds are quite rigid, but this is mainly due to the iron and steel cross ties that are used. The locomotives are very fine pieces of mechanism, but their capacity is scarcely equal to those on this side of the Atlantic. Their entire passenger equipment is away behind that in use here. Their trains, however, run like clockwork, and the connections are perfect. The method of starting trains is altogether unique and peculiar, and will cause local agents and trainmen to smile. The agent is an imposing, dignified and solemn looking official, attired in elaborate uniform, literally gilt-edged, and he acts as master of ceremonies on the imposing occasion. When the train arrives at a station he is standing bolt upright in a military position, and he is on dress parade. One minute before the train starts he reaches up and taps a gong three times. Then a strange scene takes place, and it would seem that he had pressed a button, for at the last tap the conductor, who has been at the rear car, comes galloping along the entire length of the platform, shouting in German the name of every station the train will stop at. When the engine is reached he wheels about, and on his return quickly closes and locks the car doors, darts back to the van to his perch on the rear car, whistles thrice on a tin or metal whistle, which is instantly repeated by the brakeman at the front end, and the train starts.

Treasures Found in Street Excavations.

In Rome the eighty-two miles of new streets made last year yielded the following "dugups":

- 905 amphorae.
- 2,350 terra cotta lamps.
- 1,824 inscriptions on marble.
- 77 columns of rare marble.
- 313 pieces of capitals.
- 157 marble capitals.
- 118 bases.
- 590 works of art in terra cotta.
- 540 works of art in bronze.
- 711 intaglios and cameos.
- 18 marble sarcophagi.
- 152 bass-reliefs.
- 192 marble statues.
- 21 marble figures of animals.
- 266 busts and heads.
- 54 pictures in polychrome mosaic.
- 47 objects of gold.
- 39 objects of silver.
- 36,679 coins.

Even this astonishing list does not cover everything, but embraces only those objects which were worthy of a place in the museums.—*Scientific American*.

New Gear for Maud S.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Mr. Robert Bonner, owner of Maud S., had delivered on his farm at Tarrytown, on Wednesday, a pneumatic sulky, which the inventor claims is about two seconds faster than any other sulky ever built. It was built in Massachusetts by the inventor, Mr. Ellicott. Rain and snow rendered Mr. Bonner's private truck totally unfit for use, so the trial has been postponed indefinitely. This sulky weighs just 46 pounds. The most noticeable peculiarity about it is the jointed shaft, which does away with what is professionally known as "horse motion." This, it is claimed, is a most valuable innovation. The wheels are of hickory, and for that reason the outfit weighs several pounds more than it would if steel wire had been used in their construction. Mr. Bonner yesterday said Maud S. was in superb condition. He jogs her himself every day when the weather is suitable. When the right time comes he will let her show her speed, aided by the improved bicycle sulky.

Chauncey Morlan, aged 21, weighing 442 pounds, was married to Annie Bell, aged 20, weighing 570 pounds, in a New York museum last week.

A New York syndicate has purchased the street railroad system of New Orleans for \$10,000,000. The motive power will be changed from mules to electricity.

A Kennebunk (Me.) lady has made pets of five field crickets. Each has a name, and seems to know it when spoken. They are peculiarly sensitive to music, always chirping while any musical instrument is in use.

Until one Wednesday recently John Littley, who resides near Grater's Ford, Pa., had a flock of seventeen geese. That evening a great flock of wild geese passed over the barn headed southward. The cries of the wild geese, which flew very low, seemed to charm the domestic geese, and as one fowl they rose in the air and joined their untamed brethren and disappeared.

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REBECCA WILKINSON, of Brownsvalley, Ind., says: "I had been in a distressed condition for three years from Nervousness, Weakness of the Stomach, Dyspepsia, and Indigestion, until my health was gone. I had been doctoring constantly, with no relief. I bought one bottle of South American Nervine, which done me more good than any \$50 worth of doctoring I ever did in my life. I would advise every weakly person to use this valuable and lovely remedy. A few bottles of it has cured me completely. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world."

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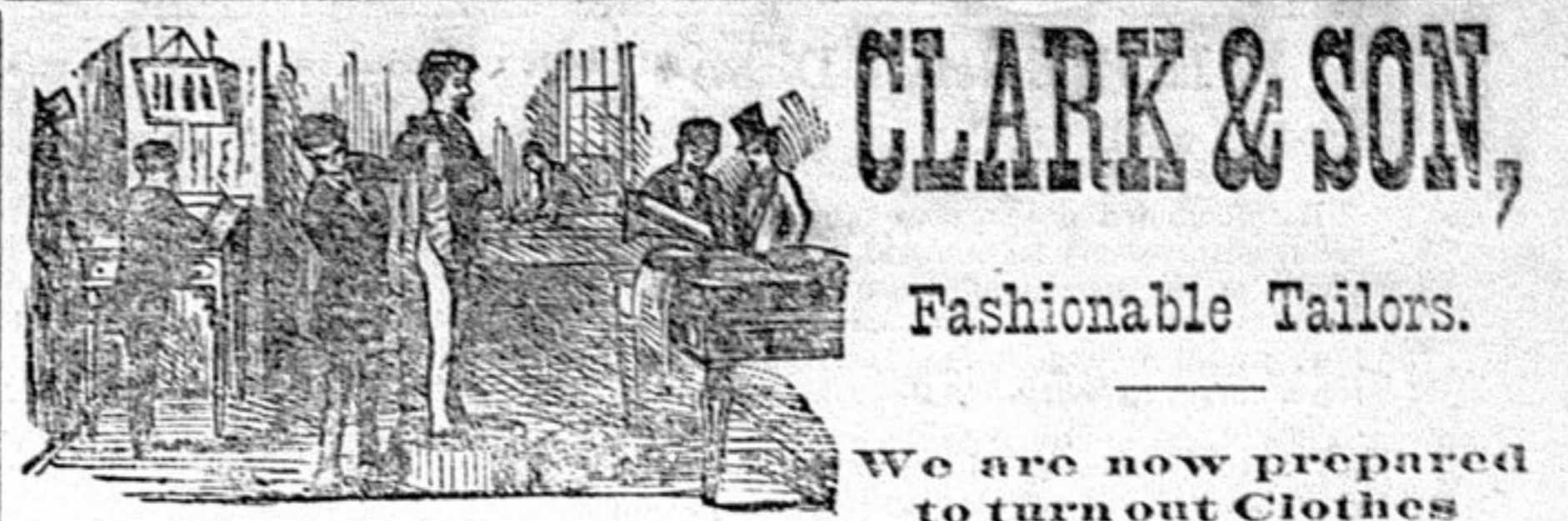
HARRIET E. HALL, of Waynetown, Ind., says: "I owe my life to the Great South American Nervine. I had been in bed for five months from the effects of an exhausted stomach, Indigestion, Nervous Prostration, and a general shattered condition of my whole system. Had given up all hopes of getting well. Had tried three doctors, with no relief. The first bottle of the Nervine Tonic improved me so much that I was able to walk about, and a few bottles cured me entirely. I believe it is the best medicine in the world. I can not recommend it too highly."

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