ding Anecdotes. marriage fees," a pro-"recalls a very colo ich was perpetrated up er clergyman recently as not a very nervous fall sly poked an old plants his vest pocket with the ntended as the marriage citement which followed oung man placed the placed the palm of the clergy God-speed, the officiat without inspecting the ne ine was indignant when nature of the bit of p stowed away in his wall However friends intere nan found the \$5 bill in nade a hurried explanat

in allaying the ire of the California," the ecclesia had a little experience us groom. The witness, sician, requested me to co arry the couple. I compli eremony the groom began gold piece about between ex finger. Of course, all n the coin. Finally the vot oward the piazza door to follow. When the d he bride and the Doctor. ct slipped the double ea sers pocket and fished due time. He demanded my effrontery. When ed him that I could not aff rst-class certificate when nall, I received \$5 from

roper statement of the m man then narrated how m prayer meeting with a couple seated in a bu his door. They desired to holy bonds of wedlock. remony was concluded. ppeared rather dull, contin seemed greatly embarras ride nudged him in the nd looked hard at the d an only grew more and m n all the topics of conversa austed the clergyman's g led to entertain the yo ake and refreshments. At a half hours after the c en concluded the bride cro to the door and was seeming to get him out of the ro door was about to be sw om plunged his hands into han I did for the imposter 0 after he had given his b furnished the groomwho o with fifty cents with a tificate."

Preserved Game.

ed at seeing us. They prob o one will be allowed to h in the game season, which or several months. The me are very strict in Engl preserve" game, as the rea a partridge, or a pheasant, roperty. All such game is elong to those persons in d who have "preserves." d come into the garden of we are staying, and be for abbages, it may be driven at are always stingy about t one of the estates of the Pr ch poor man is allowed to every day in the shooting et one rabbit. He is perfe the animal, now it is dead nd his friends could not pos shoot; but if he should pre he owner of the pleasure of ould be a poacher and be p

ENCH LOVE POWDER le Use to Which Human

Are Put. instance of how deeply old are still rooted in remote ry is a case which has just ore the Magistrates of Mar rtment of Loiret, in France go the gravediggers of Forte d to some workmen with w ng at a Ferrieres factory: nink that dead men's bone anyone, but you are mu sold some to two women The police hearing of this de inquiries, and the follo evealed: The women from to Fontenay sur Loing and edigger for some human refused, but was soon persu an ample bribe. The wo n the district for sorceresse e, hiding the bones for a hen burning them and care up the cinders, their pur pare a love draught for a y lass, who had ordered it heart of a lover who had to

A Plausible Theory. " he said, "I brought la with me when I came in,

h. Was it er new one, seh

silver handle ?" Do you know where it is !" I don' know fo' suah, sah, gem'man must er took it.

re the State librarians of Inc. ucky, Louisana, Michigan, Tennessee.

THE LIME-KILN CLUB.

While I doan' want to seem capshus or it dis time. Heretofo' nuffin' has been tot one members sat in de meetin' an' when members are purceedin' must now be herings. Day might hev eaten smoked Dey might hev eaten smoked life with a usury of most saguine dreams.

Truth moder aige, an' perhaps de smell wasn't

onion in one pocket and a cold biscuit de odder, an' you sot an' munch, an' rund you. Arter dis eavenin' sich things taught.

Sartin members git in de back seats an waring in shoes an' whittle off deir toe. pare down deir co'ns, an' rub away at ist 5:0ne bruises. Kin such purceedings witnessed in Congress? From dis night c: de member who is cotch in sich a permance will receive a paralyzing shock. Sirtin members hev got into de habit deleratin' deir hoofs on top of de stove an' rinder sills an takin' things powerful easy. Then dat triangle sound herearter all ine Seckretary's desk will probably be you get at his real size.

arrably acted upon.

We want dignity-not too much, but nuff. I doan' want so much dignity at I can't wink to Samuel Shin to pin into Elder Toots when de latter tlan begins to snore in his sleep, or dat Cahoots will carry off a resolushion pocket bekase he am a feared to pre-If a member's co'ns ache he kin rindraw to de anty-room an' cajole wid If de fiah bells ring one or two memin step softly out an' post deir selves de location of de hungerin' flames. want to be too strict, but I shall inde same dignity heah as kin be found State Legislachur, an' de sooner you acustom yourselves to de change de bet-

WIPED OUT, mable character have been received from | bless and help mankind. The High Old Steppers," a branch of the - kiln Ciub established at Nashville. reficers and members have been charged various derelictions, and early in May

and do not appear to be in the apoliceman on gineral principles."

WARNED TO STAY AWAY.

Under the head of communications the Secury announced a letter from Kurnel wispring Johnson, of Selma, Ala. The the shooting season no one much the week, and preaches to the best it is here called, is allowed a new method to the world. After evering his address he should remain in exit several weeks to take lessons in thitewashing, and would be the guest of and Shin, for whom he had conceived a saladmiration. The reading of the letetal searcely been concluded when Samwas on his feet, trying his hardest to wher of the garden should of the visions of giving up his bed and would be subject to a person on the floor—of his household exinfiel Sunday shirt and nankeen vest, Etter a word.

Solown Brudder Shin-sot down! obthe President . "Dis Cha'r not only that your feelin's ar' but symparid you. De seckretary will write to namel to de effect dat dis ar' our cyclone, Fox, cholera an' airthquake season, an' ae couldn't live five minits arter strikin' Fit. If dat doan' do we will telegraph a pusson of his name is wanted here

CONVICTED FOR PLAGIARISM.

metimes ince Prof. de Ruyter Bangs, Columbus, in the following poem to contest for spring prize voted by the club. mmittee thought they discovered the Eltalian hand of plagiarism in it, and it he laid aside for further investigation. andown Bebee now reported that the stolen bodily from the work of the Singer of Michigan. Here are three wenty-seven verses:

tenght when I sought my couch, agel appeared to me, and said; almarry a man named Henry Smith Rogers' bil vas almost discouraged, afather hired a man,

at the one of my dreams. so you see how fate metimes woo us on, is her no girl should despair

In notion of Trustee Pullback the matter the Professor was put to vote,

h motifyin' him," said the President, "de with his white mustaches. state dat it is mo' on account petry dan de stealin.' Let us now lock Infinished business, sot de safe to open and retire to our domesti-

The Thought He Was.

to a mausoleum.

PEARLS OF TRUTH.

PROPERTY AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TO A STREET OF THE PE There never was a good war, or a bad while I doan want Brother Gardner as perickler, said Brother Gardner as perickler, said Brother Gardner as I care not how much intelligence you have, if you cannot exhibit it you look like an ignoramus.

Thrift of time will repay you in afterlife with a usury of profit beyond your

Truth subsists eternally, and finally triumphs over its enemies, because it is eternal and strong even as God himself.

God has one mode of saving men and women, and you cannot be saved upon any other principle than that which Jesus Christ color of his hair, or his eyes, or his skin.

that the elements of which you and I are there was a time when there was no God.

When the hour of death comes, that comes to high and low, then it is no; what we have done for ourselves, but what we have done for others, that we think on most pleasantly .- [Sir Walter Scott.

and you will find no man of ability. Judge free dat triangle floor, an' if it becomes every man by what he has accomplished in the fields with which he is familiar, and you get at his real size

He who seeks for and emphasises the good in others is not only blessing and improving them, but himself also. Envy is gs in silver as my fee. Is self-of slippin out of de by-laws. Then I came to forward at the first by warn sich pussons dat de nex' one it out on a piece of fools repely warn sich pussons dat de nex' one are brought out; the habit of giving happiness is in itself a joy, and the manifest denefits thus conferred are fully shared by the label he at de outer door in pusson to denefits thus conferred are fully shared by the label he at de outer door in pusson to denefits thus conferred are fully shared by the label he at de outer door in pusson to denefits thus conferred are fully shared by the label he at de outer door in pusson to denefits thus conferred are fully shared by the label he at de outer door in pusson to denefits thus conferred are fully shared by the label he at de outer door in pusson to denefits thus conferred are fully shared by the label he at de outer door in pusson to denefits thus conferred are fully shared by the label he at de outer door in pusson to denefits thus conferred are fully shared by the label he at decomposition and he at the ungrateful beast.

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Friendship and love differ mainly in this -that, whereas the telicity of friendship consists in a mutual interchange of benefits, iutellectual and other, that of love is in giving on one part and receiving on the other, with a reciprocal perception of how sweet it is to the endower to endow and the receiver to receive.

At the best, no one can know much. Compared with the infinite realms above and beyond us to be yet discovered, the knowledge of the most learned man covers but a tiny spot; and what fraction of such a spot ours may cover is but a small matter. But it does matter to ourselves and to all around us the use we make of what we do possess -whether we carry it around for exhibition, or whether we convert it into a living

Emin Pasha's Future Plans.

It is more than likely that Emin Pasha, resident was arrested, convicted and who has lived in Central Africa over eight exp for ninety days for having a bag of years, will choose rather to femain by Russia will be in order. ket, drew forth a fifty.

It is possession which belonged to a blushed violently and hur blushed violently and hur blushed violently and hur blushed than the lodge at once once in the stanley expedition. In his latest letters he announces his purpose to establish its line, are much extoiled in the English letters he announces his purpose to establish its line, are much extoiled in the English

ing. To abandon the work he has so well tire, and putting it out at once. begun will be to throw away the opportunity of planting civilization in the heart of Africa. By means of the newly discovered waterways to the Congo, Egypt's equatorial province may still be kept within easy reach gained, and millions of blacks preserved from | who said to the telegraph pole-climber. the Khartoum slave drivers who formerly

ravaged their homes. Emin Pasha's territory was one of the home soon." two provinces of Egypt that paid all its | These well-meaning savages, it seems, expenses and turned a surplus into the trea- have been making experiments not wholly sury. According to Dr. Junker the Gover- successful from a scientific point of view. nor General has on hand a store of ivory | The communication between Hi-Noi and large enough to pay the entire cost of the | Hai-Phong was once completely interrupted, Stanley expedition three times over. and it took some time to discover the reason. Junker also says that if Emin Pasha decides | The whole telegraph line was carefully into remain at his post the majority of his spected, but with no effect. It then occurred force of 1,800 men will remain with him.

province he has defended so well and has edrather thicker than usual. On returning to done so much to develop. No one familiar | the spot he found that for a long distance the with the record of this remarkable man be- wire had been removed and carefully replaclieves that he will abandon the equatorial ed with bamboo cord. The head man of the province, even for a temporary respite from village explained that iron was very expenhis arduous labors, if thereby the fruits of sive in his district, but that in proof of his his past efforts and the well-being of the friendly feeling toward the French he had natives must be sacrificed.

A Brave Nun.

Sister Marie Theresa, a French nun who has lately been decorated with the Cross of the Legion of Honor for forty years' service in the army ambulances, seems to be not only a brave but a merry woman. During a time of hard fighting in Tonquin a bomb fell into an ambulance full of wounded men. Sister Theresa seized the bomb and carried it to a distance. When she set it down it explod very sagacious Newfoundland dog called ed, but, luckily, not till she had time to Don. The other day Don, who quite frethrow herself flat on the ground. Her as- quently goes to the grocery or market for sistants rushed up in terror and found her his mistress, was sent after a basket of eggs. unconscious and covered with blood. When As he was returning home, carrying his she regained her senses she uttered her basket with a proud, dignified air, he met customary phrase: "It's only a joke," an a dog against whom he evidently had an expression which has since become her nick old grudge. He set his burden down carename. At another time she was attending fully on the walk; then, giving a bark of a wounded man, when she was struck by a challenge, started after his enemy on a dead passing splinter from a charge of metraille, run. A friend of his mistress, who witnessbut her quiet observati on was merely as ed this proceeding, picked up the basket usual: "It's only a joke" At the ceremony and carried it to its proper destination. of the decoration none of the customary for- Meanwhile Don, having vanquished his foe malities were omitted. The General who returned to the spot where he had left his conferred the title chevaliere on the brave eggs. On discovering that they had disapconferred the title chevaliere on the brave peared he ran around frantically trying to nun touched her with his sword on both her peared he ran around frantically trying to nun touched her with his sword on both her find them. Finding his effort vain, he sat shoulders, and finally brushed her cheek

queathed by him to the city of Vienna, have a brisk trot. Sneaking out into the yard, lately been turned over to that municipality. he picked up an old, discarded basket that Among them are a writing case, once the lay in one corner of the yard, and carried property of Haydn, and the clavichord used it in and deposited it at the feet of his by Mozart at home. This spinet of Mozart's mistress. He has been taught that when he resembler an insignificant looking table about goes to the grocery for any any article they resembler an insignificant looking table about do not happen to have, to return and give a two ells in length, with a black framework, succession of sharp barks. This he proceed-succession of sharp barks. This he proceedtwo ells in length, with a black framework, succession of sharp barks. This he proceed-succession of sharp barks. The chords are mostly broken. Gummed on ed to do, as if to say, "They were out of eggs to-day." Brussels, however, thought that The chords are mostly broken. Guilland of the death so the lid is the announcement of the death so the lid is the announcement piano will be so the lid is the announcement of the death so the lid is the lid is the announcement of the death so the lid is the announcement of the death so the lid is so the lid is the announcement piano will be spent on his to remain of Mozart's widow. Mozart's piano will be of Mozart's widow. Mozart's Museum by the preserved in the Municipal Museum by the Museum by in the tying to Conged to him, and side of Franz Schubert's piano, which has side of Franz Schubert's piano, which has the trying to find out whether it long been in the possesssion of the city of by recollecting what I have.

Vienna.

GENERAL TOPICS.

II. Valla, a Tremen chemist, has invented ed an improved kind of cement, possessing durability and the cold appearance of marble, so that a wall set with it not only be- is by comes impermeable to moisture, but can be BEITER polished and made beautiful.

Fred Douglass recently said in Paris: J have travelled through most of the countries of Europe, and whenever I am in the cars, in the theatres, in the ball-rooms, anywhere Capital, £260,000. Dominion Government Deposit, in fact, I find that I am treated always with £55,000. Head Office : 72 King St East, Toronto. courtesy, and not rarely with distinguished consideration. As far as I can see, a man is judged over here without any regard to the

A convival Buffaloprinter went to sleep in The philosophers of the world will concede a second story window. Hefell out and would undoubtedlyhave received severe injurieshad composed are eternal, yet they believe that he not been lucky enough to fall squarely on the shoulders of two reporters. They were knocked down and badly shaken, but were able to get an ambulance and send the unconscious type-setter to the hospital.

through the woods heard tremendous squawls Unequalled Durability and Finish. Judge every man by what he cannot do, yells, and roars, and cautiously investigating came upon a seven foot panther fighting with an alligator, which had the panther fast in his ponderous jaws. Ponce sided with the under dog and shot the alligator, whereupon the panther, freeing himself, made for and Halifax every Saturday to Liverpool, and in succession killed the ungrateful beast.

denefits thus conferred are fully shared by the giver to the land them snipped to the lost on and Philadelphia; and during summer between the giver foot fence was waiting for them. The boxes were carefully placed in the yard and open-Then the biggest deer, turned her large, dreamy eyes toward the seven-foot fence, and in a moment made for it, followed by Allan Portland Boston Montrea! the other six. Those who were present were willing to swear that that dreamy-eyed animal leaped twenty-five feet high over the fence if she cleared it at all, and she certainly cleared it, as did the other six. A reward is now offered for the Michigan jumpers.

The Chinese among others are said to be rising in Hawaii against the extravagance of the foolish king, with the intention of creating a republic. This is most momentous. Should the Chinese race take to voting where will they stop? They may begin to vote in California, and if they do so they some time past reports of a very un- force to elevate our own natures, and to will have just the same sort of power that other foreign elements have now. Instead of passing anti-Chinese laws, every party will compete for the Chinese support; and resolutions expressive of condemnation of the opium traffic of Britain, of the cooley traffic of Queensland of the invasion of China

'I had more respect for a resolution that the laws of this a permanent station in the healthful and journals. As described, it is very light, can were made by despots, enforced by fertile district of Mahagi, on the southwest easily be carried in one hand, while it is and should be resisted by the bay- coast of Albert Nyanza, and he also speaks of capable of throwing a stream of water to to understand that I was to list charter was at once demanded his projects for future expliration. The any spot within thirty-five feet. The depurpose of Stanley's expedition is not to vice consists of a cylinder about two feet in bring Emin Pasha home, but to supply him length and three inches in diameter, and which with the ammunition and other resources is charged with water holding chemical in-High Ole Steppers will step a good needed to enable him to withdraw, gredients in solution, and, on being required, wer arter dis, an' we shall be keerful if he desires, or to still maintain the author- only needs to be sharply struck on the floor The establish fucher branches in Nash- ity of Egypt in that part of equatorial Africa. by a wall, the concussion sets free a quansunny space, in Hampden P . When a man in dis kentry cums to Emin Pasha and Dr. Junker have both tity of acid by breaking a bottle inside the the road, standing among among among among among and dat de laws ar' agin him he protested in eloquent words against aban- cylinder, instantly produces carbonic acid we see two handsome bird that watchin' wid boaf eyes open. He's doning this province to barbarism and the gas, which increases the volume of the water. ordinary poultry. They the bin stealin' somethin', or is achin' to slaver. Emin Pasha has taught thousands eight times, besides producing force to of the natives improved methods of agricul- throw the water. In this way no difficulty ture and the arts of weaving and shoemak- is experienced in directing the fluid to any

A Non-Conductor-

The natives of Tonquin have little more of Europe, the Soudan may some day be re- knowledge of the telegraph than the old lady "If there's a message up there from my son please throw it down, I'm expecting him

to one of the officials that in the neighbor-Egypt authorizes Emin Pasha to hold the | hood of a friendly village the wires had lookgiven orders that any one removing a portion of the wire should replace it with bamboo cord. The official tried to explain the difference between bamboo and wire, and wound up by declaring that the next bit of bamboo rope put to such a use would come in for hanging the nearest village chief.

Recreant to his Trust.

A lady living in Chicago is the owner of a down and lifted up his voice in a howl of anguish, as visions of his mistress's whip, or at least the loss of his dinner, crossed Some valuable relics of Franz Liezt, be- his mind. Suddenly he started for home at

Whenever I find myself covetous of some-

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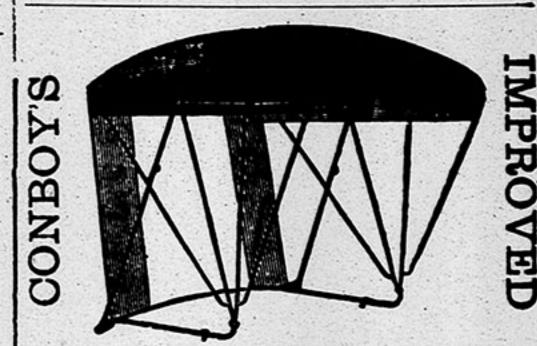
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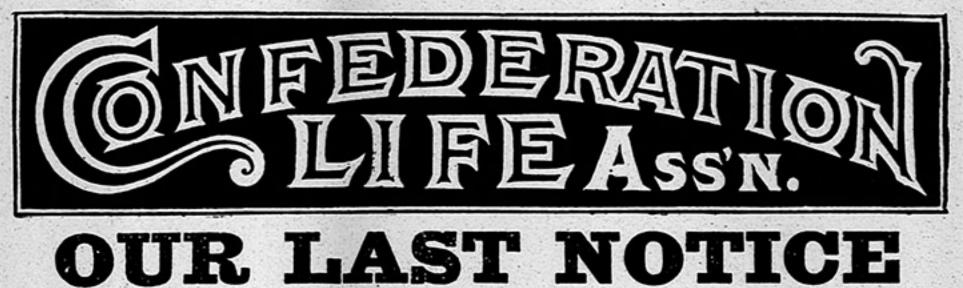
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