European Items.

Only sixty duels have been fought by Paul de Cassagnac, editor of the Paris Pays.

In order to assist the sufferers of the late eruption of Vesuvius it is proposed to quarry the lava and sell the blocks for paving stones.

S. E. Gladstone, son of the English premier, has lately been ordained and inducted into a living in Lambeth.

Another rise is announced of £2 per ton in the price of English tin.

Sir Henry Bulwer is about to write the 'Life of Lord Palmerston.'

Madame la Princesse Salm-Salm has given birth to a male Prince Salm-Salm, who has been christened Maximilian Charles Francis Joseph, in honor of the late Emperor of Mexico, his insane wife, and the present Emperor of Austria.

The ironclad 'Agincourt' has taken the place of the 'Formidable,' as flag-ship at the Nore. This 'Formidable' is an old wooden ship of the line, remarkable for her beauty, but, in accordance with an inexorable fate, she is to be broken up.

When the doctor told the King and Queen of Belgium that there was hope that their son the Duke of Brabant might recover, the King pousily dropped on his knees, and, weeping, thanked God aloud for his mercies, while the Queen rapturously clasped the donnor in her arms and kissed him repeatedly.

Two new literary pensions are announced. Her Majesty, it is stated, has granted a pension of £100 per annum to the well known authoress, Miss S. C. Hall, 'in consideration of her long and useful literary services;' and a like annual sum has been granted to Mr. John Finlay Nielson, 'in consideration of his diligent services as a Parliamentary reporter.'

Father Ignatius, who had been lecturing in London on 'The Christianity of the Low Church Party,' makes one sensible remark. He says that in essentials all christian people—the Church of Rome, Anglicans, Evangelicals, and protestants of all shades of belief—are one, and that, seeing that there are 900,000,000 of people in the world who don't believe in Christ at all, it is a great pity that believers in Him should quarrel among themselves.

Norwegian felted boxes, for cooking, are attracting great attention in London. The food is placed upon the regular fire for a short time, and the dish is then removed and enclosed in the felted box for three or four hours, by which time, it is asserted the confined heat completes the process of cooking. The apparatus is coming into use in England for shooting parties and picnics, and is recommended as admirably suited to the wants of the poor.

Because an English liberal candidate's carriage was drawn by the people in triumph through the streets, a local clergyman remarked at a conservative meeting, that the carriage was drawn, not by horses, but by the less noble animal; whereupon the distinct paper reminded him that the following Sabbath he would have to address the asses as 'dearly beloved brethren.'

Caution to Boys.—An inquest was held before the Borough Coroner, respecting the death of Thomas Varey, aged ten, who lived with his parents, in a court in Price Street, Birmingham. A out five weeks ago, deceased was indulging in a favorite amusement with boys, that of swinging on his hands with his feet in the air, when he declared, and told a companion that he had hurt his neck, and that it had pained him badly. The pain afterwards became worse, and deceased kept away from work for several days. Some improvement in his condition took place, but on Saturday morning last he was much worse and medical aid was then procured. Deceased, however, died the same afternoon from the effect of the injury to his neck. The Jury found a verdict of 'Accidental death.'—Post, Dec. 5th.

Some interesting facts are given in a recently issued Parliamentary return with reference to the telegraph system in Great Britain. There are in the Kingdom 90,668 miles of wire for public use, and 4,969 miles of wire used for the purposes of railway companies only. The number of miles of poles and underground lines constructed is 21,751 open to the public, and 285 used for railway purposes only; the average number of wires per mile is 4.16. There are 4,995 miles of submarine telegraph cable (of course including the Atlantic cable) connected with places in the United Kingdom, and 8,146 miles of wire; the average number of these wires per mile is 1.73. There are 3,381 telegraph stations open to the public.

How a Yankee did Europe Cheaply.

A Mr. Keeler is lecturing in Boston on the subject of his undertaking to make the "Grand Tour" of Europe upon the sum of $118 in greenbacks, his starting point being Toledo, Ohio. Mr. Keeler is evidently a Toledo blade of great keenness. He got a free ride to the sea coast, bought a steerage ticket in New York for London, got a glimpse of the World's great Fair in the great city, saw the Emperor's fete in Paris, at length arrived in Heidelburg, where he took lodgings in a sky parlour at the rent of zwei guilden or eighty cents a month. Here he pursued his studies at the university, and sustained a decent comfortable existence upon breakfast at four kreutzers, or three cents apiece, dinners that cost eight cents, and suppers that came to four cents for each one. Being a graduate of an American college, his tuition at the university was $10 the half year. He travelled over Germany in the disguise of a tradesman's apprentice, which secured him good fare at the lowest possible cost. Three times he was reduced to nearly his last sou, and three times he was saved by remittances from newspapers to which he had sent contributions. One morning he found himself on the Pont Feuf, in Paris, when he had not a centime to bless himself with, and had eaten nothing the day before, and was saved from suicide only by falling in with an unfortunate girl, who had reached the spot intent upon her own destruction. He made the tour triumphantly, and now he is at home and should have a medal, or an office, or something as a testimonial from the economical Yankees he so very ably represented.

Romance in India.

(From the London Spectator.)

Among the Sikh nobles who, at the outset of the mutiny, staked their heads on the British side, was the Rajah of Kupoorthulla. He was not a very great man, but he had influence, and no Englishman could have risked his status, purse and person with more hearty and unquestionable loyalty. He helped to guard the Northern Delhi Road, then the key of our position; and when order had been restored, the Governor-General, casting aside the old policy of meagre rewards, raised him by a single gift of land to the wealth of a great English noble. The Rajah married an East Indian girl, became, under her influence, a Christian, and established a mission on his own estates. Sweeping away at a stroke the prejudices of a thousand years, he introduced his wife into society and allowed her to appear in public; and the officials, for once, hardly cordial to a native, threw aside prejudices as rooted as his own, and recommended that the Rajah should receive, officially, precedence in Oude. The Governor General consented; and at the apex of the new social system of Oude, stands a native Christian noble, and the only woman in India for whom the guards turn out in the British Provinces is the Christian "Lady of Kupoorthulla."

UNITED STATES.

Miss Godsey, of Hickman, Kentucky, has slept nineteen years, with intermissions of a few minutes several times each day.

A West Virginian whipped his wife, the other day, for unexampled extravagance, in eating both butter and molasses on her bread.

A well known citizen of San Francisco, suffering from the recently prevalent small pox, suddenly appeared among a dozen or fifteen of his friends on a street corner, while the disease was at its worst stage. He was delirious. A panic ensued, and there was a flight in all directions. The man was finally induced to return to his house.

A curious accident happened on the Erie Railroad the other day. An express train travelling at the rate of twenty miles an hour ran off the track, over sleepers for the distance of about two hundred feet, across two sets of rails, and then replaced itself on a side track, so that when it came to a stand it was only necessary to switch it upon the main line. The delay by the accident was only ten minutes, and there was neither loss nor injury of person or property.

A plain fact:—Man is an animal which goes on two legs, reads newspapers, eats like an anaconda on Thanksgiving, falls in love with pretty faces (also from grace in doing the same), is fond of taking scandal, likes to get tipsy, bets on elections, is given to laziness and sunshine, thinks a good deal of machine labor, wants to be rich, believes he is good looking, and laughs at monkeys.

A bookseller in a Connecticut town has a novel way of advertising. Last week he had a ballot box in his store, in which all comers were invited to drop a vote for whoever they considered the handsomest young woman in town. The box was opened on Saturday evening, and it was found that Miss Julia Beach had the highest number of votes, when she was presented by the bookseller with a hand some quarto album, bound in Turkey morocco. This week a vote is taken to decide what gentleman over thirty years of age is the best citizen, and the lucky man receiving the highest number of votes will receive a like present.

Heroism at Sea.—Captain May, of the timber-laden ship "Harlequin," from Quebec to Greenock, deserves the title of a real seaman for saving his ship by his personal daring and hardihood. On Sept. 28th a heavy gale of wind left him with eight feet of water in the hold, and otherwise crippled the ship so that Captain May, as the only chance of safety, put the vessel before the wind, and kept the pumps continually going. Early in October the gales increased in violence, and on the 6th a sea flooded the cabin stove in the long boat, and smashed the bulwarks. Another sea struck the stern of the ship, starting the planking rudder trunks and making two large gaps under the stern. To stop these gaps was absolutely necessary for the safety of the ship, and the captain himself undertook the perilous task. A ladder was rigged, and, carrying with him quantities of canvas and oakum, he proceeded to stuff the leaks, men on deck being stationed to give warning when the pursuing seas were about to strike. Thirteen times had the captain to climb on deck to escape death from the approaching billows; but he succeeded in checking the leak and with constant pumping the water was kept down. After a long and trying passage, the steamer sent out to seek the vessel met her in the North Channel, and brought her safely to Greenock.

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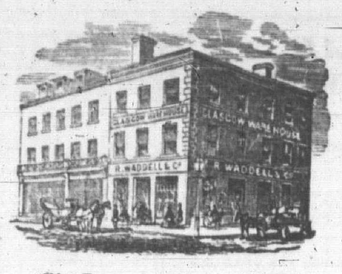

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