

Democratic Watchman

Bellefonte, Pa., Aug. 12, 1892.

A Woman's hard Lot in China.

Barbaric Treatment to Which She is Subjected, Her Condition Slowly Improving. The emancipation of women movement has not obtained a foothold in China...

At home, although neglected, she was surrounded by friendly faces to which she had been accustomed from childhood...

But to return to the position of Chinese women in society and family life, that is to say their present position. For some decades the position of Chinese women in some parts of the Empire...

Many Mongolians visit foreign countries and take a lesson from the "Western devils" in the treatment of the fairer sex. Catholic and Protestant missionaries have also done much to improve the condition of Chinese women...

A large number of these unfortunate married women belong to a sect, the cardinal principle of which is total abstinence from animal food. By embracing vegetarianism these women believe that they will become men...

It is very difficult to obtain information in regard to the aversion of Chinese parents in female offspring. Many of the stories told about this disaffection are, however untrue. It is true that a boy is never put to death in China...

—The burglar came tumbling out through the window in desperate haste. He had torn off his mask, his eyes were staring from their sockets and his features worked convulsively.

—Men are so peculiar that as a rule a man tells his wife the most when she asks him the least questions. A turtle will keep its head in if it is poked and bothered, and a man is a great deal like a turtle.

—As a hair dressing and for the prevention of baldness, Ayer's Hair Vigor has no equal in merit and efficacy. It eradicates dandruff, keeps the scalp moist, clean, and healthy, and gives vitality and color to weak, faded, and gray hair.

One on the Court.

The judge of a western court was not thoroughly posted on the case before him, but he was one of these men you have probably heard of, who thinks he knows it all.

"You are charged with horse-stealing," he said loftily to the prisoner; "are you guilty or not guilty?" "Not guilty, your honor," responded the prisoner.

"The court looked surprised." "Do you mean to say the animal you rode into town to-day, and which was identified by half a dozen citizens, was yours?"

"Well, sir, did you buy it?" "No, your honor." "Did the owner present it to you as a token of esteem?" and the judge smiled sarcastically.

"No, your honor," and the prisoner smiled a little himself. "Didn't you feloniously enter the stable of the owner of the animal, where it was kept, in the dead of the night and remove it forcibly without his consent or knowledge?"

"Yes, your honor, more or less," replied the prisoner boldly. "Well don't you call that horse-stealing?" "No, your honor."

"And why not, pray?" and the judge was more sarcastic than ever. "Because it was a mule, your honor," and the prisoner guffawed at his own joke to the extent of a \$10 fine for contempt of court.

—Hood's pills act especially upon the liver, rousing it from torpidity to its natural duties, cure constipation and assist digestion. —The world's annual consumption of vanilla is said to be about 230,000 pounds.

—Klein's Silver Age, Duquesne and Bear Creek Whiskies, together with all the leading Pennsylvania Ryes, bottled by Max Klein, are the most reliable whiskies sold. See that Klein's signature is on every label, and his name blown in the bottle. It is a guarantee of purity. For sale by S. Shloss, wholesale agent, Williamsport, Pa.

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Tourists.

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Where the grasses are kissed by the wafting breeze, And the fields are rich with golden grain: Where the schooner ploughs through the prairie seas.

To its destined port on the western plain; Where homes may never be sought in vain, And hope is the thirteenth plant that grows; Where man may ever his rights maintain.

For further particulars apply to the nearest Ticket agent, or address John R. Pott, District passenger agent, 486 William street, Williamsport, Pa.

Speaking of Flying. Some run, some fly, and some are limited in more senses than one, but the new fast trains on the Union Pacific System are out of sight while the other fellows are getting their wings fixed.

"The Overland Flyer" of the Union Pacific System is today as it has been for years, the most popular as well as the fastest Daily Trans-Continental Train. The flyer is a solid vestibuled train composed of Pullman Sleepers and Dining Cars and Free Reclining Chair Cars.

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Railway Guide.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD AND BRANCHES. Not 15th, 1891. VIA TYRONE—WESTWARD.

Leave Bellefonte, 5:25 a. m., arrive at Tyrone, 6:55 a. m., at Altoona, 7:45 a. m., at Pittsburgh, 12:45 p. m.

VIA TYRONE—EASTWARD. Leave Bellefonte, 10:25 a. m., arrive at Tyrone, 11:55 a. m., at Altoona, 1:45 p. m., at Pittsburgh, 5:20 p. m.

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