According to the official report of e Board of public Charities, made to last Legislature of Pennsylvania, there were, in 1885, 850 criminals sen-tenced to the Eastern and Western

tenced to the Eastern and Western Penitentiaries. Of these, only 176 were total abstainers. A little over 79 per cent., 664, had been addicted to the use of alcholic drinks. (Page 42.) In 1885 2,706 were sentenced to the county prisons and work-houses of the State. Of these 396, less than 16 per cent., were total abstainers, 2,095 were in the habit of using alcoholic stimulants; 215 were reported whose habits

in the habit of using alcoholic stimu-lants; 215 were reported whose habits were unknown. (Page 63.)

During the year ending September 30 1885, 22,792 were exced for in the almehouses of the State. (Page 234.)

Of those remaining at the close of the year, 12,534, only 1,603 were reported as total abstainers; 4,401 were addicted to the use of alcholic drinks, 6,530 were reported as "unknown," showing great carelessness on the part of the great carelessness on the part of the managers in answering an official ques-tion. This does not include the 62, 085 tramps assisted, most of whom are addicted to strong drink.

The cost of supporting these wards of the State, over and above all their earnings, is as follows: Eastern and Western Penitentiaries, 135,036.26; Cowestern require, 135,030,20; Company prisons and work-honses,\$472,302-between New York and Washington a continual procession of locomotives and cars moving ateadily forward to the State paid \$73,925,000, and the State paid \$73,925,000, and the several counties \$1,794,617,94. The cost of maintaining the criminals and paupers reported as total abstainers was only \$255,443.59, leaving the net the cars, and to prevent any block-age of the tracks, no cars will be stor-ed on sidings in or near Washington as other lines propose to do.

The trains will be kept moving all

censes, \$8,656.96, making a total of hour. \$789,203.01. From this the State In paid \$73,920.00 tax of salaries of empaid \$73,920.00 tax of salaries of employees in the penitentiaries, and \$270, 000.00 for building purposes, making a total of \$343,925.00. The buildings would not have been needed but for the excess of criminals as a result of drunkenness. If, however, the remainder of the sum, \$445,273.01, had been turned over to the counties there. been turned over to the counties, there turned over to the counties, therefore taxpayers, from their hard earnings, paid for the support of the drinking class of paupers and criminals, \$1,629, Visitors who desire to extend their

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Lunacy Invades a School.

PUPILS IN A PENNSYLVANIA INSTITUTE ATTACKED BY A STRANGE MALADY.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 7 .- A strange species of insanity has attacked the pupils in the Soldier's Orphan School at McAlisterville. This village is an out-of-the-way place eight miles from Mifflintown, Juniata County, and it is difficult to obtain a complete account of the malady. It appears that the children there have been attacked by a kind of nervous insanity, if such a thing can be. It is most apparent among the boys, twenty five of whom are badly affected.

When the trouble was noticed all

the physicians in the neighborhood were summoned, and Dr. Lucien Banks of this place, remained at the school from 10 o'clock last night until this from 10 o'clock last night until this afternoon. He says he is utterly unable to account for the action of the boys. They were bright and happy, but a day or so ago they began picking at their clothing or at the clothing of their fellow pupils in a nervous sort of way, as insane people sometimes do in asylums. When engaged in conversation they talked fast enough, but unintelligibly. unintelligibly.

At last a physician took one of them

aside and began interrogating him.
"What is this?" said the doctor, hold-

ing up a knife.

"Tadpole," was the reply.

"What fruit do you like best?"

"Lizard," the lad answered.

Another boy was taken into a hall and his fur cap thrown away.
"Oh! why did you throw out my overshoes," was what he said, the sen-

tence being mumbled.

The children have vacant expressions on their faces and at times are worse

than others.

The school building is a four-story structure, with high porches on each side, and opposite is a three story building, and they are surrounded by large orchards. J. M. Sherwood is brincipal, Annie McKillip is matron, and C. A. Widde Superintendent. and C. A. Widde Superintendent. There sixty pupils in the primary de-partment. Heretofore a few cases of gastric fever were the only sickness re

mittee declined to express any opinion before a personal investigation. Dr Ourt doubted that there was any mental disorder, as insanity is not conta gious, but he said there might be some significance in the fact that the trouble was confined to the boys and not to the girls.

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An Attack of Gravel HALF RATES AND PINE SERVICE BY THE Present indications foreshadow the

most brilliant inaugural demonstration ever known on the installation of President-elect Harrison, March 4th next.
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event, and every State of the Union
will be represented in the grand parade. Civilians, military, civic, and
political bodies will make this the greatest pageant ever seen in the na-tional Capital. The ball will be the most brilliant affair of the kind ever held, and the entire demonstration will held, and the entire demonstration will be conducted on a scale of magnificence never before attempted. Thous-ands of people will visit Washington during this period as participants or spectators, and the Pennsylvaniu Rail-road is making preparations to carry them there, and return them in the promptest and most satisfactory man-ner. It will undoubtedly be the heav-iest job ever undertaken by the company, yet with its enormous equip-ment, excellent facilities, and masterly management, the task will be accom-plished to the satisfaction of all. For the day preceding and that succeeding the 4th, the rails leading into Washington will be hot with thous-ands of wheels, and as all trains will be run in as many sections as the de-mands of travel require, there will be between New York and Washington a

was only \$255,443.59, leaving the net loss to the counties for the support of intemperate priminals and paupers the enormous sum of one million six hundred and thirty-nine; thousand one hundred and seventy four dollars and thirty-five cents.

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In case the hotels and lodging bouses of Washington should be un-

The excursion rate fixed for this oc-casion is a single fare for the round would still have been a net loss of trip, and tickets at that rate will be \$1,193,896.34. But this sum was not sold from all stations on the Pennsyl-

trip to Richmond can also purchase excursion tickets in Washington on March 1st to 7th, good to return until March 7th, inclusive at \$4.40 for the

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A Kentucky Hermit.

A curious hermit has been discovered in Russell county, Ky. He lived in a rude hut of the most primitive construction. He is very tall, and about 60 years of age. His clothing consisted of a few rags tied around his person with strings, and his feet were naked and badly frostbitten. All that he would tell about himself was that he was "Jim Billy." He had often been seen by hunters, but always eluded pursuit. He was secured and taken to the county seat, where he will be cared for.—New York World.

Keep the Congregation Awake. The first duty of a preacher is to keep the congregation awake. Instruct the sexton to let in plenty of fresh air. Without air, without life. Break out a few of those stained glass windows and admit the sunshine! Darkness always provokes a yawn.—Clergyman in St. Louis Republic.

Henry Golding, colored, wno lives near Leary, Ga., claims to be 121 years old. He says that he was 9 years old at the commencement of the revolutionary war. He belonged at the time to George Humphreys, of Richmond, Va. Humph-reys sold him to George Heard, of Au-gusta, who had owned him ten years when the "stars fell."

In Switzerland cars are run up to a hotel 2,300 feet above the lake level by by electric motors which are driven by where there is sufficient water power to turn turbine wheels.

Walker county, Ga., there are two wives, two mothers-in-law, two daughters-inlaw, three mothers, two grandmothers and one greatgrandmother.

and one greatgrandmother.

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Jack was one of the train of mules with which the earl of Dunraven made an excursion in the Yellowstone park a few years ago. It is not often that a mule cont

few years ago. It is not often that a mule gets so good a character from his master as Jack roceives, but it was well earned.

Jack would ascertain, by some means best known to himself, the exact width of his pack, and would measure his distance between the trees to an inch, running through apertures that looked far too narrow for him, but never striking or getting jammed. He had some extraordinary method also of determining the height of his pack, and could tell precisely whether he could pass under an overhanging bough without stooping, and, if not, how much he would have to stoop.

If necessary, without pausing for a moment in his trot, he would double down until his belly almost touched the ground, and wriggle himself through under a fallen tree in the most ludicrous

It is no easy task for a man, even though he be accustomed to the moun-tains and the forests, to make his way through the matted labyrinth of these through the matted labyrinth of these primeval woods; but through such places, if they were practicable at all, Jack would run, jump, climb or crawl, picking his way without pause.

His faculty of stooping under branches, though very useful at times, was inconvenient when he was required as a riding primal. He was faculty for the stooping under branches.

animal. He would forget for a moment that he had not a tall pack upon his back, and in passing under some learning free, to avoid which the rider would tree, to avoid which the rider would prerely stoop his head, not expecting for a moment that the mule would stoop also, down he would go, and with a twist and wriggle of his body writhe himself under the supposed obstacle, much to his rider's surprise and discomfort.—Youth's Companion.

Getting Even. When the "Tin Soldier" was done Chicago for the first time I played the plumber. Eugene Field was present and seemed to enjoy the performance im-mensely. Next day he gave the plece a mensely. Next day he gave the piece a very flattering criticism, and said that all the people played their parts well with a single exception. The actor who played the plumber seemed to have no conception of what the author intended. I had to good naturedly take the general laugh at my expense and foot up the bill for numerous "smiles," whose combined frequency was sufficient to make a very respectable laugh. I determined to get back at Field. He is as well known and as familiar a figure in Chicago as Col. as familiar a figure in Chicago as Col. Ochiltree is in New York. On the following evening I had him occupy a box at the theatre. In one of my scenes I took a copy of The News, and advancing to the front, pretended to read. "Gen. Field's Sharps and Flats," I said, as if just coming to the column of his bright exploitations. Then, with a broad smile, I apparently continued reading. After a while the smile gradually faded, and was succeeded by an expression of positive pain. The paper was thrown to the floor, and, with a very tired expression, I threw back the lapel of my coat and rang a chestnut bell. The chestnut bell was something new in Chicago then, and the little piece of business went tremen-dously. Field's box was so situated that he could not withdraw from the view of the house, and he had to take the laugh

like a good fellow. The "Tin Soldier" has made on an average about \$24,000 a season.—Charles H. Hoyt. Careless Talking. What grave errors are frequently committed through mere thoughtlessness. If we could foresee the pain that is often caused by lightly spoken words, how much more careful would we be in

weighing their significance before utter-ing them! One of the gravest errors of the kind I have ever known occurred the other day. I had called at the office of one of our leading citizens on a mat-ter of business. He had just returned from a visit to his old home, where he had been attending to the sad duty of burying a near and dear relative, and as we sat talking about the business and as we sat talking about the business affair that engaged our attention a friend of the leading citizen walked in, shook him warmly by the hand and asked him when he had got back. Their mutual greetings were warm and cordial until the caller wound up his by exclaiming, thoughtlessly, no doubt, and without for a moment appreciating how apropos was the remark: "Hope you had a good time." I shall never forget the look which passed across the face of the afflicted man as, without replying, he waved his visitor to a seat and resumed his conversation with me. I thought to his conversation with me. I thought to myself, if that man knew what a mis-take he had made he would be more careful in future of speaking without thinking.—Chicago Journal.

The Oil Cartridges. The power which petroleum exerts in calming the surface of a troubled, even tempestuous ocean, is conceded by the most conservative navigators. However efficient petroleum may be in rousing a storm on land and generating a cyclone in every oil exchange of the United States, on the briny deep its influence is wholly in the direction of peace and quietness and restfulness. It hills King Neptune's stormiest moods, and a few gallons have brought gallant ships safely through watery commotions that threat-ened them with sure submerging. Hereened them with sure submerging. Here-tofore a simple throwing or dripping of oil from the ship has been the method pursued. Now a Yankee inventor has patented an oil cartridge, which, fired from a gun, projects the oil far in ad-vance of the vessel and thereby stills the waves before the ship. By means of these cartridges, it is claimed that a serene path an eighth of a mile wide can be made through the heaviest seas. be made through the heaviest seas. Those that go down to the sea in ships owe much to the memory of Col. Drake, of Pennsylvania.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

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TIME TABLE. In effect NOV. 18 1888. Trains leave Suppury RASTWARD 2.40 a. m., Sea Shore Express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediatestations, arriving at Philadelphia 3.15 p. m.; New York, 3.50 p. m.; Baltimore, 4.45 p. m.; Washington 5.55 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Through passenger coach to Philadelphia.

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1.43 p. m.—Day express daily except Sunday, for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Phila delphia c.50 p. m.; New York, 9.36 p. m.; Baltimore 6.45 p. m.; Washington, 8.00 p. m. Parior carthrough to Philadelphia and passenger coaches through to Philadelphia and passenger coaches through to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

7.45 p. m.—Hebovo Accommodation (daily for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4.25 a. m.; New York 7.10 s. m. Baltimore. 5.15 s. m.; Washington 6.30 a. m.; Fullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia aleeper undisturbed until. 7 a. m. Philadelphia aleeper is run on this train from Williamsport on Sunday 8.

8.50 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily) for Harrisburg and Intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 8.55 a. m.; New York, 11.50 a. m.; Baltimore 8.15 a. m.; Washington, 8.36 s. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and through passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore. WESTWARD.

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9.53—News Express (daily except Sunday) for cock Haven and intermediate stations.

12.85 p. m.—Niagara Express (daily except Sunday) of 3 yi for kane and intermediate stations and Cananasigus and principal intermediate stations. Rechester, Buffalo and Niagara Falis with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parior carto Williamsport.

5.30 p. m. Fast Line (daily except Sunday) for Renovo and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to kenovo and Watkins.

9.30 a. m.—Sunday mail for Renovo and Intermediate stations.

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Sunday mail leaves Sunbury 2:55 a. m., arriving at Bloom Perry 10:16 a. m., Wilkes-Harre 11:45 a. m. Sunday accommodation leaves Wilkes-Barre 5:10 p.m., arriving at Bloom Perry, 5:39 p.m., Sunbury 150 h. m.