

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE AGAIN.

ANOTHER VICTIM ADDS TO THE ALREADY LONG LIST. The Christian Science treatment in the case of a young sufferer from consumption, Miss Florence Gillespie, of Chattanooga, Tenn., killed her after three months. She died last Friday in Boston, and on Saturday her body was sent to the home of her father, J. G. Gillespie, in Chattanooga. I seem that the young lady's aunt, Miss Florence Whitehead, having studied Christian Science at Mrs. Eddy's college in this city, became an ardent disciple and was instrumental in bringing her niece here to be treated. They hired rooms at No. 39 Claremont Park and the consumptive put herself under the treatment. The so-called doctors told her that "nothing was really the matter with her; that her malady was chiefly imagination and the prayer and faith in God were sure panacea. She heroically followed the treatment to the letter. She helped in the work round the house, did at daybreak the cooking and got out of bed at daybreak all because her doctor so recommended."

Miss Gillespie used often to ask for something to eat between meals, but this was strictly forbidden. At lunch she often asked for a bit of meat or fow, but this was also strictly forbidden. Towards the end Miss Gillespie failed rapidly and looked very badly. She was trying to do the best she could. And how few traveling in hotels heed the law, as laid down by the highest judicial authorities, that it is their duty to "Stop, Look and Listen" when approaching a crossing at grade. The railroad companies, under their charters, have the right of way, and in case of accident, unless carelessness can be shown on their part, damages can not be recovered. A fatal mistake often made by drivers, and even by those on foot, is the failure to properly estimate the speed at which a train is moving, which may be from eight to ten times as fast as they are going. It is always best to lose a few minutes than to run the risk of consequence of such a miscalculation.

What have the farmers of Pennsylvania done to Victor E. Piollet that he should journey to Washington and not only make an ass of himself, but misrepresent their interests? Who questioned by Mr. Breakeyridge of the ways and means committee, before which he appeared, as to how beef could be protected when we export 200,000,000 pounds annually, Piollet, to the astonishment of everyone, replied, "build up our manufacture, create a home market, and let us eat up our beef here."

Now we know why the workmen aren't receiving the most liberal consideration by the republican during the presidential campaign, for Piollet has told us. The "paper foreign laborers" seem to have money to buy our beef while our own "protected" workmen seem to be without the necessary funds to get it. Keep the foreigners from pasturing our best markets, as Piollet suggests, and let the protected workers of America spend the rest of his days attending free-for-all barbecues. Verily, the great men are not all dead. Patriot.

There now appears the faintest hope that the Cronin mystery is about being solved. Weakened by inopportune consumption and by the terrible strain and suspense of the trial, O'Sullivan, the iceman, is rapidly breaking down and is likely to make a full confession. Like Maobeth, he has "murdered sleep" and in a dream a few nights ago he was heard to say: "I cannot face my Maker with this load upon my mind." It is thought that unless Cronin took him into his confidence he knew little or nothing of the earlier stages of the conspiracy to murder Cronin. He knows, enough, however, to point out not only the actual murderers, but the most prominent of the conspirators behind them, and this information he will likely barter for his liberty. The indefatigable State's Attorney will bring all the pressure that he possibly can to bear on the daily weakening iceman, and it is not improbable that one of these days the whole story of the Cronin murder will be laid bare.

The agents representing the companies in which the late Franklin B. Gowen carried life insurance had a conference with a view to ascertaining what an effect his settlement will have upon the payment of the policies. It is probable that all the policies will be paid without protest. The insurance held by the different companies on the life of Mr. Gowen amounts in all to \$221,000, and the sums are distributed as follows: New York Life Insurance Society, \$71,000; Equitable Life Insurance Society, \$90,000; Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, \$10,000; Provident Life and Trust Company, \$20,000; Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company of Newark, \$10,000; Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, \$10,000.

The New York World "addressed to some of the most prominent men at home and abroad dispatches requesting them to give their fondest wishes for the year 1899." The replies are as follows: "New York Life Insurance Society, \$71,000; Equitable Life Insurance Society, \$90,000; Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, \$10,000; Provident Life and Trust Company, \$20,000; Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company of Newark, \$10,000; Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, \$10,000."



It is worth a column of rhetoric, said an American statesman. It is a fact, established by the testimony of thousands of people, that Hood's Sarsaparilla does cure scrofula, salt rheum, and other diseases or affections arising from impure state or low condition of the blood. It also overcomes that tired feeling, creates a good appetite, and gives strength to every part of the system. Try it.



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The latest development of the advertising art comes from Paris, where an enterprising publisher has employed a large corps of sandwich men to advertise a book by walking down the boulevards and reading it with rapid attention. An inquisitive gentleman, anxious to know how far this would have an educational effect upon the readers, crept up behind one who seemed more rapid than all the others, and found that he was reading the book upside down.

The Peabody Medical Institute and its QUARTER CENTURY'S WORK. One of the self-evident propositions regarding most, if not all, human institutions, is that their survival indicates their fitness to exist. In other words, when an institution best serves some good purpose it is apt to live and such a purpose is to be, or should be, to combat the ordinary ills to which the flesh is heir.

The Peabody Medical Institute, also, has done a vast amount of philanthropic work in its publications, which are written for the purpose of bringing about that most necessary condition of self-knowledge that is embodied in the motto, "Know Thyself."

With a third of the Winter gone and not a pound of ice harvested anywhere in the country, the outlook for a crop of the cooling material for next Summer is anything but bright.

He Can Handle Electric Wires. Jacob Fletcher, Superintendent of the Erie Motor Car Company, gave an exhibition Jan. 9 of his invention of a personal insulation which enables him to handle live wires with impunity.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE. DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD. BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

PHILADELPHIA & READING RAILROAD. ON AND AFTER NOV. 19th 1899.

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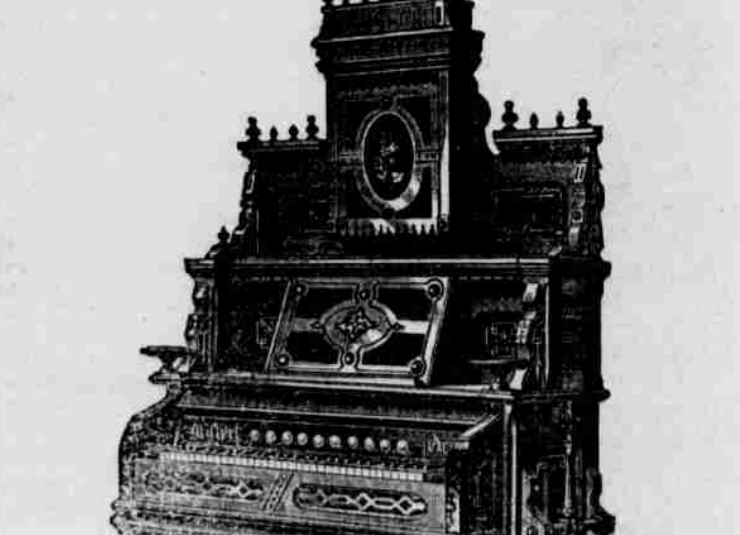
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