# THE COLUMBIAN, BLOOMSBURG,

## HOW WALL STREET STARTED.

Defense, Was Origin of the Best-Known Thoroughfare in America.

On the morning of March 31, 1644, a man of clerkly appearance might have been seen standing at the entrance to the dilapidated fortress of New Amsterdam, with a sheaf of official papers in his hands, says Frederick Trevor Hill in Harper's Magazine. It was not an inviting prospect that confronted the observer that raw spring morning, for the roughly built, wooden houses scattered about the fort looked sadly weather-bouten, and the straggling, Illmade ronds and paths which served as streets were littered with refuse and rubbish of every sort and ankle deep in mud.

The man at the fort did not, however, waste much time in gazing at surroundings. these discouraging They were familiar to him in every dreary detail, for Cornellus Van Tienhoven had been secretary of the council at New Amsterdam for many years, and if he had ever been disturbed by the prevailing wretchedness of the town, it had long since ceased to afford him the slightest concern. Slowly turning his back to the view, he tacked one of his official documents to the wall of the fort, and then swinging about and picking his way across the miry ground to a convenient tree, affixed another paper.

Van Tienhoven's handwriting was easily read. Indeed, good penmanship was the only qualification he had ever displayed for his office, that virtue had wholly failed to endear him to the populace, who hated the very sight of his clerical fist. The particular notice he had transcribed that morning, however, was singularly free of offense. It merely recited a resolution of the director and council of New Notherland, that a barrier be erected at the north of the settlement, sufficiently strong to prevent the straying of cattle and to protect them from the indians and "warned" all interested persons to appear on "next Monday, the 4th of April, at 7 o'clock," for the prosecution of this work.

It was not long, therefore, before the colonists were hard at work at the projected cattle guard, and with-1n a few days it stood com-There is no authoritative pleted. information as to how it was constructed, but there is evidence that it consisted mainly of untrimmed trees felled at the edge of the adjoining forest and piled together to forta a sort of a barricade, and that its northern line, running certainly from the present William street, New York City, to what is now Breadway, and possibly from shore to shore, marked the farthest limits of New Amsterdam, as it then existed, and practically determined the location of Wall street. Such was the origin of the best-known thoroughfare of the Western Hemisphere.

### If You V ant to Be Loved.

Don't contradict people even if you are sure you are right. Don't be inquisitive about the af-

fairs of even your most intimate friend. Don't underrate anything because

you don't possess it. Don't believe that everybody else

world is happier than you Don't declare that you have never had any opportunities in life.

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MEN THAT ARE POISONOUS.

# An Experiment That Convinced an Invetorate Cigaret Smoker,

"You smoke 30 cigarets a day?" "Yes, on the average,

"Yet you don a blame them for your run-down condition?"

"Not in the least. I blame my hard work.

The physician shook his head. He snilled in a vexed way. Then he took a leech out of a glass jar.

"Let me show you something," he said. "Bare your arm."

The cigaret fiend bared his pare arm, and the other laid the lean black leech upon it. The leech fell to work busily. It's body began to swell. Then, all of a sudden, a kind of shudder convulsed it, and it fell to the floor dead.

"That is what your blood did to that leech," said the physician, He took up the little corpse between his finger and thumb. "Look at it," he said. "Quite dead, you see. You poisoned it."

"I guess it wasn't a healthy leech in the first place," said the elgaret smoker sullenly.

"Wasn't healthy, ch? Well, we'll try again."

And the physician clapped two leeches on the young man's toin arm." "If they both die," said the patient, "I'll swear off-or, at least, I'll cut down my daily allowance from 30 clgarets to 10."

Even as he spoke the smaller leech shivered and dropped on his knee dead, and a moment later the larger one fell beside it.

"This is ghastly," said the young man. "I am worse than the pestilence to these leeches."

"It is the empyreumatic oil in your blood," said the medical man. "All cigaret fiends have it. Smoke reasonably, and this oil will disappear, and you will be no longer deadly to the leech. Furthermore, your appetfte will return, you will sleep better, and your muddy color will clear up. It is not hard work but hard smoking that has brought these troubles down on you.' "Doc," said thet young man, re-

garding the three dead leeches thoughtfully, "I half believe you're right."

It Was Discovered on the Famous Frankenstein Ledge, Grawford Notch.

More eagles have been seen in and about the White Mountains in New Hampshire recently than since early pioneer days and the only nest of the national bird known in New Hampshire was discovered on the crest of the famous Frankenstein ledge in Crawford Notch.

The species is the bald eagle of the mountains, from which the traditional emblem of the United States was designed, but it is not garbed so extensively in trousers as represented by artist Saint-Gauden's bird on the new gold coins.

Certain portions of the White Mountains afford a natural habitation for the cagle, the numbers of which have largely increased since the stringent game laws of the state prevented the general rifle shooting which once prevalled, especially throughout the 'north country."

The nest of Frankenstein ledge was located by men in the employ of Charles H. Morey of Bemis. They were attracted by a pair of large cagles flying about in evident anger and distress, and they searcned for the nest till they found it in a cleft in the rocks on the highest point of the cliff. There was an almost perpendicular rise on all sides to reach the break, and the birds evidently supposed the site to be beyond molestation.

Several younger eagles were seen in the vicinity, but they were all beyond the age requiring the fostering care of the older birds, and hustled across tue notch to get away from the intruders.

The older birds, however, hung about the lumbermen and showed evidence of a willingness to take part in a mixup if too serious danger threatened their home in the rocky cleft.

The men got near enough the nest to note the general characteristics of its construction, but no attempt was made to despoil it, and those who have since been to the spot, say that the hirds have returned to their abode and are now living in comfort.

The locality of the nest is almost inaccessible, except to the most hardened woodmen and mountain climbers but it may easily be found by those who have the fortitude to attempt the climb up Frankenstein ledge.

It is several years since any of the birds have been shot in northern New Hampshire, although numbers irequently have been seen about finke Winnepesaukee in the summer. Ruttlesnake Island is a favorite ferting ground for them until the snakes hibernate. The island is made up of ledges and is reputed to be the home of thousands of reptiles. It is one of the few bodies of land in Lake Winnepcsaukee which does not boast summer cottages or camps .- Boston Herald.

Chinese Weights and Measures. The measures and weights which were in vogue in the reign of King Hi, early in the present dynasty, are tgain to be put in force in China with tlight modifications.

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Lay out the garment, put a blotter (common white blotter) on the under side below point where the spot is and one on the top. Then take a hot flatiron and press. The heat will melt the candle grease and the blotter will absorb the whole of it. Repeat if necessary, using new part of blotter.

#### Germany's Hunters,

Consul Ifft of Annaberg reports that 600,000 hunting permits are issued every year in Germany. The government receives in fees something like \$1,500,000. The annual kill by the hunters is estimated at 55,000,000 pounds, having a market va ut of \$6.500,000.

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"I was greatly distressed by the unsanitary conditions prevailing in their cottages," says the doctor. "and among other things I tried to explain to each household the importance of maintaining a wholesome atmosphere in their sleeping rooms.

"I laid in a stock of thermometers, where they were most needed. I took pains to point out to each family in turn just how the thermometer would indicate the proper degrees of temperature.

"As I was making the rounds one day I inquired of the woman head of one establishment whether she had followed my instructions.

'Yes sir,' answered sne. 'I'm very careful about the temperature. I watch the thing all the time as it hangs up there."

"What do you do when the temperature rises above 68?"

"'I take it down, sir, an' put it outside till it cools off a bit." "-Modern Society.

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Bcy Astronomer Discovers Comets.

With only a home-made telescope J. E. Mellish of Cottage Grove, Wis., a farmer's boy scarcely out of his teens, and having only a country school education, has discovered two comets and attracted the notice of the astronomical world. Prominent scientists have become interested in him, and opportunity has been made whereby he can pursue more effectively the study of his favorite science

At the last general election in New Realand there were 263,597 men and 212,875 women on the roll. There actually voted 221,611 men and 175,-946 women. In 14 contests the womch voters outnumbered the men. Ot the candidates elected in these 14 constituencies only one was unmarried.

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