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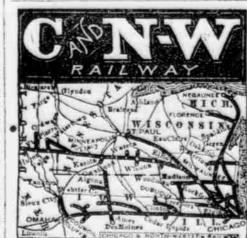
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WORKING BIRDS AND WORKING IN-ECTS .- There are birds on Cape Comoin which light their habitations at night, These sagacious little fellows fasten a bit of clay to the top of the nest, and then go out and pick up a glow-worm. and stick it on the clay, to illuminate their dwelling, as if they were about to see company that evening. Sometimes these little fellows are gayer than usual, and, in that case, they get three or four of these glow-worms, or of fire-flies, and light up their dwellings most cheerfully and thier habit is a wise provision adapted for their protection, for the blaze of light in their little cell dazzles the poor who loves darkness rather than light, and thus he is unable to plunder the nest and deprive the parents of their young. The tailor bird of Hindostan gathers cotton from the shrubs and spins it, into threads by means of its feet and ts long bill, and then using its bill as a shoemaker's awl, it sews the large leaves of an Indian tree together, so as to protect and to conceal the juvenile tailors LEADING RAILWAY that have been recently brought into the world. So with ants-one is a mason, another is a carpenter; one caterpillar is a stonemason, one bee is an upholster-It is the short and best route between Chicago and er, one is a miner, another is a felt-maker; one insect is a grave-digger, another Northern Illinois, Iowa, Dakota, Wyoming, Ne-braska, California, Oregon, Colorado, Utah Arizona, Idaho, Montaua, Nevada, and for rats, birds, and frogs. A celebrated rats, birds, and frogs. A celebrated naturalist put four of these undertakers under a glass cover, and supplied them with subjects on which they might exer-SALT LAKE, SAN FRANCISCO, cise their trade, and in fifty days these four beetles interred twelve carcasesfour frogs, three small birds, two fishes, one mole, and two grasshoppers. They undermined the carcase, and let it drop by its own weight, and then covered it ; in this manner, no doubt, millions little birds and field mice find as decent a burial as falls to the portion of

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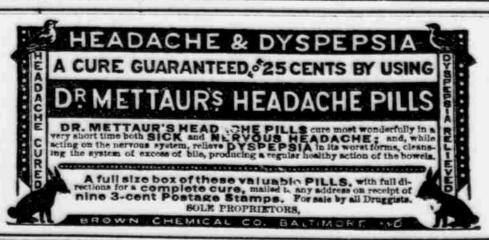
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quakes on record are those of Italy, in 526 when 120,000 persons perished; and of Sicily, in 1693, when 60,000 people lost their lives. According to Gibbon, toward 542 each year was marked with the repetition of earthquakes of such duration that Constantinople was shaken above forty days, - of such extent that the shock was communicated to the whole empire. At Antioch a quarter of a million persons are said to have perished. This period of earthquake and plague (542-7) was the period when the superior planets were in perihelian, as they are now. Arabian and Persian chronicles record a hundred and eleven earthquakes between the seventh and eighteenth centuries, some lasting from forty to seventy days, and nearly all accompanied by winds or floods, or terri-ble storms of lightning and thunder. Readers of the Relations des Jesuites will remember the great earthquakes of 1663, which shook and tossed the earth for six months from Gaspe to Montreal, the was that of November, 1755,-an echo of the convulsion that tumbled down Lisbon, and saved the Pompay ministry, through the fact that the minister's house was almost the only one left uninjured, and his family one of the few potbereaved of a member. Hein, in his interesting work on earthquakes, estimates that on an average two earthquakes a day occurred on the earth. In 1870, though there was no severe single shock, 2,225 houses were destroyed or greatly damaged in Italy, 98 persons killed, and 223 wounded. The same shock may last for years. Instance that of Viege, in the Valais, which endured from July, 1855, to 1857. At Cabul, thirty-three severe shocks have been felt in one day; at Honduras, in 1856, 108 were counted in a week; and at Hawaii, in 1868, two thousands shocks occurred in a month. Hein, it may be said in conclusion, opposes the theory of a connection between earthquakes and volcanic eruptions, and considers that of their coincidence with atmospheric phenomena as better supported by facts: for they are occasionally preceded or accompanied by thick and wide spread fogs at seasons when fogs are not frequent, by sudden falls of the barometer, and by equally sudden changes of temperature. Their occurrence, however, in the majority of cases coincides with normal meteorological conditions. Earthquakes are more frequent after sunset than in daytime, in autumn and winter than in spring. The influence of the moon is insignificant.

BRING HOME SOMETHING,-Nearly every farmer goes to the nearest village to trade, visit a mechanic, or obtain his letters and papers at least once a week. He often takes a load to market, but he rarely brings one nome. He can, with very little trouble, haul a load of material that may be obtained for nothing, and which will be of great benefit to his land. Most village people make no use of the ashes produced in their stoves or of the bones taken from the meat they consume. Scarcely any brewer has any use for the hops that have been boiled in his vats, and the blacksmith hardly ever saves the clippings he takes from the feet of horses. All these materials make excellent manures, A barrel of shavings cut from the hoofs of horses contains more ammonia than is contained in a load of stable manure. Applied to land without any preparation, they might give no immediate results, but they would become decomposed in time, and crops of all kinds would derive benefit from them. They may be, so treated that they would produce immediate results. By covering them with fresh manure they will decompose very rapidly. They may also be leached in a barrel and the water that covered them drawn off and applied to plants. Water in which pieces of horns and hoofs have been soaked is an excellent manure for plants that require forcing. It stimulates the growth of tematoes, rose bushes and house plants very rapidly, and emits no offensive odors. A vast amount of fer-tilizing material is wasted in towns that farmers could obtain the benefit of with very little trouble. - Chicago Times.

NO NEED TO DROWN .- Dr. Henry MacCormac, of Belfast, Ireland, writes that it is not at all necessary or inevitable that a person knowing nothing of the art of swimming should be drowned if he depends simply and entirely on the powers of self-preservation with which nature has endowed him. The pith of the Doctor's remarks is contained in the following paragraph: "When one of the inferior animals takes the water, falls, or is thrown in, it instantly begins to walk as it does when it is out of the water. But when a man who cannot "swim" falls into the water, he makes a few spasmodic struggles, throws up his arms, and drowns. The brute, on the other hand, treads water, remains on the surface, and is virtually insubmergeable. In order then to escape drowning it is only necessary to do as the brute does, and that is to tread or walk the water. The brute has no advantage in regard of his relative weight. in respect of the water, over man; and yet the man perishes while the brute lives. Nevertheless, any man, any woman, any child, who can walk on the land may also walk in the water just as readily as the animal does, and that without any prior instructions or drilling whatever. Throw a dog into the water, and he treads or walks the water instantly, and there is no imaginable reason why a human being under such circumstances should not do as the dog does. The brute, indeed, walks in the water instinctively, whereas man has to

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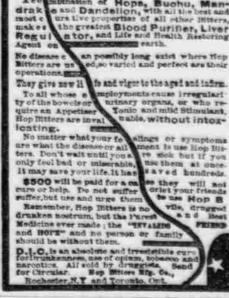
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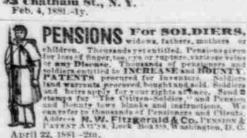
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