But no matter-it wasn't my fault. My old woman

belongs to both of us.

And the boys they all tried to make peace; she As she put her sweet arms round my neck and rested

On my bresst, that her dear heart was full of the

Then my poor Lina cried, and she bade me

And I paused for a moment and looked at Chrisback," was the last that I heard.

and so I have wandered back here to the scenes of my childhood and youth; Have stood by the grave of my father and mother—

to tell you the truth, I find that I cannot be happy while far from the

For my sweet Lina's words, "Oh, dear father, com There's no telling, you know, what might happen, perchance, to a man of my years,

I have come, Mr. Consul, this morning to ask you

Are lovingly walting your coming, and eager to

## "IT."

FROM THE GERMAN OF ALEX V. ROBERTS. The original of this translation, by Mrs. Rosalie Ortheiler, of Albany, N. Y., is a prize story written for the Vienna Allgemeine Zeitung. There were seven hundred and fifty contributions handed in, and of these Mr. Roberts' "It" took the first prize, 300 florins. The indges were some of the most enlightened men of German literature—Bauernfeld, Laube, Gross and several others.)

entered my wife's boudoir, and found her kneeling before a low-chair, on which sat a boy-baby with large, round which sat a boy-baby with large, round and wondering eyes. She got up and came rustling in her silken robe de chambre to meet me. She reached out her hand and greeted me not more heartily nor yet more formally than we were accustomed to greet each other in those days.

We were culprits before the child, we two grown persons! And by degrees our conversation became more animated. The occasional prattlings of the little ene were noticed and spoken about; indeed sometimes there was mutual laughter at his attempts to speak.

As I held my wife close to my heart in my irrepressible joy, I could not forbear to bend down to her blushing little face, and say: "We will love it dearly, very dearly. Is it not so?"

My borses, my dogs; her canaries, over at me, wondering, perhaps, her gold fishes—that I could endure; whether a storm would be raised by its but that she wanted to have her child "Papa." But her face was suffused for herself alone, that was too much for me. The thought of it tortured me one, two days long. On the third day,

please, your advice
On a matter that gives me great werry—"Let's hear it (wants money I know)."
Here's my citizen-paper—("All right.")—I was born in the Schwarzwalder Krus,
At Schramberg, and went to America forty-five years ago.

Yes, I'm near seventy now, and you see that my step is unsteady—
Pienty of troebic. I tell you—I settled in North Illinois,
And there, over since, I've been working and saving up, so that already
Pregot a nice farm, Mr. Consul, that goes by-and bye to my boys.

me. The thought of it tortured me one, two days long. On the third day, my wife having gone out in her carriage, there came a flood of gladness over my heart. Certainly no one but her had taught him this "Papa." Why did I not spring up, bound toward her, and with one word, one embrace, strike out to see her child once more. She could not part from him forever without imprinting one more kiss upon his cheeks. I opened my safe quickly: "Here, my good woman," said I, "take that, they have not given you enough." Hot tears elil down her wan cheeks; she begged to the tears I shed in anger at my own step is unsteady.

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Element of the special state o a girl. We've had seven;
But when the war came slong, my William and Carl marched away.

Both of them fell on the field, and last winter the good Lord in Heaven
Called home our dear little Minnie—she's twelve years old to-day.

Yes, the old woman is living. She's there with the boys on the place,
And our Lina keeps house for them all. Next spring she'll be just twenty-four.

She's the handsomest girl in the county; there's sunshine all over her face;
I can hear even now her sweet voice as she told me farewell at the door.

Why I left? Well, perhaps, Mr. Consul, 'twere better the truth weren't told.

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But was take and would not live much longer, and what was to become of the children? Them she come of the children? Then she come of the children? Then she thought—I myself had to finish the sontence, which a violent fit of coughing had interrupted. "Yes," she had thought, "I will sell the healthy one, in order that the money may help the cripple when I am dead and gone."

No, she must not be judged harshly;
We rich ones know but little of the trials and temptations of the poor.

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She is sick and can't work any mere, and she's idle

We're both getting old:

So she's cross, and will have it that I'm always

wrong and that she's always right.

It hasn't been always that way. In the days when

See is sick and can't work any mere, and she's idle

with her little white teeth.

"It is all the same to me," said she

after a moment's reflection, and with
that she pressed a tender kiss on the
little boy's mouth. It sounded almost

like a challenge.
"Our child!" I scarcely ever sawit.

I could no longer fix my mind on business. I mistrusted even myself.

we worked for our bread
And hadn't a dollar lait by in the bank, she and I
were all good
And happy together; but since we began to be getting ahead
She has tried to be boss over me, and I didn't intend that she should.

And when our poor dear Minnie died, I had hoped
that the fight would die, too,
But no! it lived on just the same, and one day, about
four weeks ago.

The old woman sput out for a lawyer, and them, for
the first time, I knew
That she wanted to separate from me—from me, who
have borne with her so.

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"Our child!" I scarcely ever saw it.
And the changes that were made in our
household for his sake were made entirelay without me. Sometimes, after the
most important things were decided,
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obliged to have a nurse, I hired one,
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That she wanted to separate from me—from me, who
have borne with her so. My wife and I did not talk much say adieu to our child?" I took up the about the child, and when we did men-tion it we used only the name "It."
But this "It" could be heard through caresses. Then I put him down and the house at almost any time of the hastened away.

I traveled in uncertainty through the "Hush! not so much noise! It sleeps! world and behold! after the first few tenderest pity for me.

And I said: "My Christina, we've labored and struggled together till now:

Durchildren are grown, and you want us to separate, now we are old?

No lawyer can part us, Christina, no lawyer can sever our yow.

"It must have its dinner. It should be days in addition to an ordinary traveling companion, bad humor, there came self!" And so the whole house began to turn round our "It." This nameless neuter yexed me.

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"I entirely forgot to ask the mother—I mean the woman—what its name is," answered my wife. 'She intended to come again. But she does not come, she is certainly sick. Now, I call if May. May is a pratty short name is, any any stream of the blue mountains; the locome what its name is, answered my wife. 'She intended to come again. But she does not come, she is certainly sick. Now, I call if May. May is a pratty short name is a very thing would be yight again.

come, she is certainly sick. Now, I call it Max. Max is a pretty, short name; is it not?" "Him," returned I, between two draughts of my cigar; "Fritz would also be a quite pretty name." "One cannot change the name now on account of the domestics," answered she, shortly; and then called out loudly: "Is Max up already?" Never mind, was it not our child! "I tried to comfort her. Only a come, though, I played my justifiable part toward our child. At dinner it was always served at a little table in an adjoining room. At such times we could little bed; she there and I here. Each

was not right between us. I confess that these eyes embarrassed me, and that I had a feeling of relief when Frederick entered with a dish. And I think that my wife felt the same.

And the following days there were the same large, wondering eyes, like an appealing question, staring into the pauses of our conversation. It sounds it is nevertheless trues the same and the same appealing question, staring into the pauses of our conversation. It sounds it is nevertheless trues the same are same and the same are same and the same are same and the same are same a

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SWINDLERS OUTWITTED.

ing the park, and, as he stopped to in-spect the architectural monstrosities of the postoffice, the operator approached him and said "Can I be mistaken? Is not this Mr.

Edwards, of Boston?" "No, sir, I am not," was the reply." "My name is Andrews, I'm from Chicago." The opertor not," was the reply." "My name is Andrews, I'm from Chicago." The opertor begged his pardon. The likeness to his friend Mr. Edwards, of Boston, was gone fifty feet from the spot where he had been accosted when a well dressed man of perhaps thirty five slapped him on the back and said: "Why, An-drews, old boy, how are you? What are all the boys in Chicago? Come in and have a drink and tell me the news? another time I was ready to take steps in order to find the mother, and, with the power of gold, force her to take back her child—behind my wife's back. That would be cowardly.

I could no longer fix my mind on business. I mistrusted even myself. that he was going to cash at the bank the next morning. This he showed his friend, and the sight of that and the diamond studs and gold watch and chain he wore were enough to make the "crook" determine to "play" him. Mr. Andrews dined with his "old friend," went to the theatre and then on a spree all over the city, the friend paying all expenses, and at 4 o'clock in the morn ing they parted, after Mr. Andrews had made an engagement to meet his com-panion at 9:45 the next morning and go to the bank, get the check cashed, and then "own the town." As he stepped into the hack the "crook" called an paid for, he said, feeling in his pockets By the way, some one in the la must have picked my pocket of that \$10 bill. Lend me \$50 till morning, as I haven't a cent in my pocket." "Certainly, here it is. Remember 9:45 to-

morrow. or, rather to-day, sharp. Goodnight.' Mr. Andrews has not yet shown up. He has probably returned to New Or-leans, where, under his own name, he

always served at a little table in an adjoining room. At such times we could hear, between the scantily-dropping phrases of our conversation its merry prattling, accompanied by the clattering of its spoon. My wife had no rest; there was a continual going and coming between us and him; the soup might be too hot and he might eat too much! "Wife," said I, very quietly but very decidedly, "from to-morrow it shall eat with "as at ony table. It is old enough the sum of the might we both sat by the little bed; she there and I here. Each of us holding one of his little hands. Of us holding one of his little hands. All those feverish pulse beats!—every stroke sounding like an appeal: "Love each other, love each other; be good!" We felt eventually these throbbings and we understood the appeal. Our eyes met full and earnest through the glittering tears, as in a first holy yow.

Words would have seemed a sacrilege gant of win well and treated him to a visit was proposed to one of the many side-shows, where a gambling establishment is the "raison d'etre." Both men to evelope game," and the countryman won some four dollars. The dealer thought he had encouraged him sufficiently, and between the scantily-dropping. And I want you to make my old woman entitled to all that I've got with us at our table. It is old enough now with its two years."

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Words would have seemed a sacrilege countryman stopped playing and pockthen.

Not long after we laid our darling in proprietor tried to persuade him to con-

stiff folds of the napkin. It worked powerfully at its soup; and now that it had finished, set up the spoon like a scepter. My wife reached her fine, white hand over the table, and asked: "Did you also love it?—at least a little?" Her voice trembled. "My wife! my wife and I had exchanged a few words, and now again we sat silent. Apparently on account of this silence, its large eyes began to open wider and wider. They stared on me, stared at my wife, with a surprised, almost frightened expression, as if they had a presentiment that all was not right between us. I confess that these eyes embarrassed me, and don't come from Flushing, L. I., but from Kingston, Ulster county, N. Y." from Kingston, Ulster county, N. Y."

The operator of course begged his pardon and departed. But as the gentleman from "up the river" neared the fountain in the center of Madison square on his way to his club confidence-man No. 2, a partner of No. 1, met him and said: "Well, Thompson, upon my soul I'm glad to see you! How's all the folks no in quite a lively way.

HENRY COLE, a Cincinnati lawyer, became despondent on account of the loss of a daughter in Brooklyn a few years ago, and also be-

"They're pooty well. How's your "Good, thank you; what's the news up in Ulster county?"
"Well, there ain't much news, 'cept

I've been gitting married lately," and here a deep blush and a genial smile

her hand and greeted me not more heartily nor yet more formally than we were accustomed to greet each other in those days.

"There it is," said my wife, pointing to the child.

"What?" aked I; but she stooped down before the little stranger, held a biscenic close to his little upturned face, and half turning toward me, replied:

"Well, you know—did we not read of it in the newspaper? Don't you remember—the day before yetserday? And is it not beautiful?"

Now I did recollect that a few nights before she fals filed the Gazetic under the light of my student-lamp, and pointing with her finger to an advertisement, said to me: "Please read that." It was the well-known appeal, the cry of despenies," and held recolled people." A child was offered for adoption to persons well off. "What would you think of our taking it?" my wife had said, and I had returned the paper to her with a shrug of my should gers.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

and the City Hall park is a tavorte fersor these "crooks," owing to the proximity of the Jersey ferries. Not long since a gentlemen was noticed by one of the fraternity of swindlers cross-

for New York, when about three miles distant | be colonel Fourth United States Artillery. rom its starting point plunged from a long Seven cars were in the train—four ordinary passo remarkable it misled him, and he withdrew. The gentleman had hardly locked behind the engine, kept the track, but was filled with prominent New York business mer residences in Long Branch. General place of safety by Fireman Foster, with a with his cigar still lighted. B. L. Bradley and George W. Demarest, New York merchants, and C. M. Woodruff, of Newark, N. J., were secure rail. oared boat race at New London, Conn.

HARVARD defeated Yale in the annual eight-AFTER being out fifty-five minutes the jurors n the trial of James and Walter Malley and Blanche Douglass for the murder of Jennie Cramer, at New Haven, returned a verdict of not guilty, and the prisoners were discharge An ocean steamer arrived at New York the other day having on board 927 Mormon emigrants. Of the 927 there were 629 Swedes and

Norwegians, and 191 English, Scotch and Welsh. Five lives in all were lost by the accident on the train from Long Branch to New York, two more of the injured passengers—James E. Mallory and William R. Garrison, both well-known New York business men-succumbing to their injuries. Mr. Garrison, who was forty-eight years of age, had been president of the Union Pacific railroad and of one of the New York elevated roads, and was one of the foremost nainess men of the metropolis.

A CYCLONE about one-quarter of a mile wide

ten miles long did great damage to life and property in and about the village of Coalrille, Pa. Altogether about fifteen houses ns killed or injured. Scarcely a tree in the orm's track was left standing. The pecuniary amage is estimated at \$75,000.

THE inquest into the accident to the train from Long Branch resulted in the coroner's ury finding the New York and Long Branch Ratiroad company guilty of gross careless: eral Grant was one of the witnesses. A FIRE at Oregon, N. Y., destroyed Hoff-

man's paper mill. Three young men-Theodore Gardner, Albert Hadden and Frank Lamareux who had been on a spree and gone into the building to sleep off its effects, were burned to THE Hon. Ichabod Goodwin, the first wa governor of New Hampshire, died the other

## lay at Portsmouth, aged eighty-six years. South and West.

Ir is estimated that not less than 120 pers ave been killed by the recent tornadoes in Kansas, Missouri, Iowa, Nobraska, Dakota and resota, and that the total amount of prop erty destroyed will exceed in value \$3,500,000 New Orleans has had a fatal case of yellow

sheriff. Mentzel was then seized by an enrage

crowd and hanged to a signboard. lows has been voting on a liquor prohibition amendment to the State constitution. The majority in favor of the amendment is about

A REAVY rain which fell at Frenchburg, Kv. raised the streams and flooded the stree eight feet deep, sweeping away six dwellings and drowning Mrs. John Fox, Mrs. Byrne

The other day he shot and killed his wife and remaining daughter, aged nineteen, and the abiains battimmer

THE Bank of Commerce, of Richmond, Va., as suspended. A FIRE broke out in the heart of Larremore Dakota, spread rapidly and destroyed a fourth part of the town. Several occupants of the Union house, where the fire originated, were

burned to death.

A colony of eleven men and women an three children in Dakota were massacred by a party of fifty Sioux Indians.

EDWARD FOLSOM was hanged at Fort Smith Ark., for the murder of two men last August. THE reported massacre of a party of colonis in Dakato, by a band of Sioux Indians, turne out to be a practical joke, gotten up for merel sensational purposes by a party of land-hunter and colonists, who had disguised themselv as Indians.

COLONEL JOHN BRIDGES was hanged at Cadiz, Ky., for the murder of his wife. A large crowd was present. After the trap was sprun the noose around Bridges' neck slipped, and the poor wretch struggled so hard that he succeeded in freeing his hands and feet from the cords with which they had been pinioned and then tried to get upon the gallows again, but was pushed back and suffered a horribl death by strangulation.

During a fight between white and color men in the court house at Brooksville, Fla. three negroes named Turner were killed and several men on both sides were wounded. FIFTEEN houses were struck by lightning during a heavy thunder-storm in Oregon, I'l.,

THE President sent the following nominations o the Senate: Lewis Wallace, of Indiana, to be

Cases in Which the Bitter Has Get Bitter

Hardly a day passes, says a New York paper, that a complaint is not lodged at some one of the police stations by a stranger in the city who has been viotimized by confidence operators, but sometimes the confidence operators, but sometimes the confidence operators picks up the wrong man, and instead of swindling him gets the worst of the game himself, as the few instances given below will show.

The neighborhood of the Astor house and the City Hall park is a favorite resort for these "crooks," owing to the proximity of the Jersey ferries.

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A TRAIN known as the WWELL Company of Kansas, to be consul at Manila; Lorin A. Lathrop, of Nevada. to be consul at Relative to the consult at Relative to t headed by George E. Eaton for governor.

A TRAIN known as the "Wall Street express,"
which leaves Long Branch at 8 o'clock a. M.,
Lieutenant-Colonel Gustavus A. DeRussy, to

THE postoffice department has made a report bridge into the mud and water underneath. showing that for the fiscal year ending June 30 Seven cars were in the train—four ordinary passenger coaches, the smoking car, a baggage car, and a Pullman palace car. The last two, locked behind the engine, kept the track, but the track, but the track but the postal service was self-sustaining.

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During June the national debt was decreased wishes of the house of commons and the house of lords, whose members thought the postal service was self-sustaining.

the others toppled fairly off the bridge, and were precipitated a distance of a dozen feet. The train

THE receipts from patents for June were the press had no right to discuss political questions. The plan of reporting was for two or three persons to steal into the gallery, listen attentively, then month of 1881 of \$12,574.70. The receipts from January 1 to June 30, 1882, were \$617, 692.60, or an increase over the corresponding period of the previous fiscal year of \$77,198.25.

FURTHER nominations by the President if James Atkins, of Georgia, Colonel Charles H. Crane, assistant the conduct of parliament came through the the rank of brigadier-general, John Davis, of the District of Columbia, to be first assistant secretary of state, vice J. C. Bancroft Davis, resisting and Greece; John Worthington, of New York, to be united States consul at Truxpan.

Foreign News.

house of lords, whose members thought the press had no right to discuss political questions. The plan of reporting was for two or three persons to steal into the gallery, listen attentively, then retire to an alchouse, where they compared memories and wrote out the result. This was for several years the labor of Dr. Johnson, who did the work in a garret or behind a screen at St. John's gate. The right of the press to criticise the royal speeches and the conduct of parliament came through the North Briton and the arrest of Wilkes, before which time such liberties had not been attempted. To the love of freedom may be ascribed the letters of Junius, which were published soon afterward by Sampson Woodfall in the Public Advertiser. This newspaper had at the time a circulation of 75,000 copies monthly. It thereby increased in popularity, and took a position at the head of the London press. The Morning Chronicle was stated about the same time, and greatly sheet. No. 2 8d. 141. 64.1413. men on their way to the city from their sum- month of 1881 of \$12,574.70. The receipts Ulysses S. Grant was in the smoking-car, and | 692.60, or an increase over the corresponding was promptly helped through the window to a period of the previous fiscal year of \$77,198.25. elight scratch at the knee, minus his hat, but James Atkins, of Georgia, to be United States killed and about seventy injured, several dan- the rank of brigadier-general; John Davis, of gerously. The accident is attributed to an in- the District of Columbia, to be first assistant had not been attempted. To the love

## Foreign News.

ABOUT 1,000 Nihilists are to be tried in St. EUROPEANS are still leaving Egypt as fast as they can get away. Advices from Alexandria who, it is said, could walk down to the state that there have been fresh murders of house of commons with a hard-boiled state that there have been fresh murders of istians in the Delta villages. Arabi Bey, the Egyptian minister of war, declares that the natives implicated in the massacre in Alexandria shall not be punished unless the Europeans who fired upon the rioters are also pun-

THE Duke of Edinburgh, Queen Victoria's second son, has had a narrow escape from death. While fishing recently near Bayona, pain, he hooked a large fish. In his attempts to haul it in he lost his footing and was dragged into water sixteen feet deep. He was carried under four times. After struggling for half an nour he succeeded in reaching land.

Mone than 1,000 persons were killed and Co ounded during the recent riots in Alexandria,

Egypt. IRELAND has been divided into six districts,

oia through floods. passengers were drowned. Eleven persons oration in these columns.

vere drowned in attempting to lower a life

LORD CLANEICARDE'S agent, Mr. Blake, and his steward, Mr. Keene, were killed in county Galway, Ireland, while riding in a car. The hots were fired through loopholes in a wall. fr. Blake was a consin of Lord Clanricarde,

In case of my death. After all I can trust her to do what is fair

By the children in case she survives me. Just say that I, Christian Roth—"What!

Is your name Christian Roth—"What!

Is your name Christian Roth—"What!

Aletter! My Lina's handwriting, and postmarked at Scott, Illinois:

Here, quick, let me read it: "Dear father, my mother implores you to come. Here, quick, let me read it: "Dear father, and of the major system of the mother implores you to come. Here, quick, let me read it: "Dear father, and I and the boys—"and I and the winting and a sail or the winting as a list of the winting as a

pended after an all-night session characterized by the most bitter parliamentary warfare. Decisive action on the part of the government had been looked for after Mr. Gladstone's notice on the previous day of the control of o 19 previous day of his intention to use all A man sued an Ohio editor for \$10,the remaining clauses of "The Bill for the Re-pression of Crime in Ireland." The Irish members used every effort during the all-night session to obstruct the passage of this bill, and Bloomington Eye. the debate between them and the government members was most bitter. Finally sixteen of the Irish members were charged with obstructing the passage of the bill, and by a vote of 126 to 27 were suspended and ordered to withdraw, which they at once did. Afterward nine other Irish members, upon motion of Mr. Gladstone, were also suspended, and the bill was then passed.

"Fourth of July" was celebrated by Amer-"FOURTH OF JULY" was celebrated by Amer-

icans abroad by banquets and fetes in London, Liverpool, Leipsic, Paris and other places. some of the English papers published congratulatory articles. LAYCOCK, the Australian, defeated Boyd, the Englishman, in a boat race on the Thames. Forty-Seventh Congress --- Senate.

The bill to reduce internal revenue taxation was passed by 127 year to 80 nays—11 Democrats voting for it and 23 Republicans against it. As it passed the House the bill provides for a reduction of nearly \$24,000,000 on the basis of last year's revenues.

Bills were passed allowing to the widows of he late Messrs. Hurlburt and Kilpatrick, Uniced States ministers, the balance of one year's salary... A bill was reported authorizing the construction of vessels of war for the United states mayy... The conference report on the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill was agreed to... The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was further considered. The bill to establish the Territory of Pembina.

une pull to establish the Territory of Pembina was reported... The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was passed... A bill was passed further to regulate the investment of the Pacific railroad sinking funds...Consideration of the general denciency bill was begun. begun.

A bill incorporating a new ocean cable company was passed....The general deficiency appropriation bill was discussed and several amendments adopted, among them one reducing the appropriation for the expenses of the late President Garfield's illness and burial.

House.

A resolution was adopted requesting the Senate to return the bill to regulate emigration... It was decided to postpone consideration of the bill for the erection of a Congressional library building until December, 1882... The naval appropriation bill was reported back and referred to a committee of the whole ... The bill to reduce internal revenue taxation was discussed, but no action was taken. A bill was reported for a new Atlantic cable line... The Senate bill was passed to amend the act giving public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanical arts... The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was considered.

The subject of the imprisonment of American citizens in British prisons was discussed...
The naval appropriation bill was considered without action... The Senate bill was passed appropriating \$20,000 to aid in creeting a column commemorative of the battle of Monmouth.

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A joint resolution was passed authorizing the
secretary of the treasury to issue two per cent,
bonds or certificates in exchange for bonds
bearing a higher rate of interest... The naval
appropriation bill was further considered without final action... A message was received
from the President vetoing the bill to regulate
the carriage of passengers by sea.

Mr. Robinson introduced a resolution of inquiry as to the report that the British minister
had called upon Secretary Frelinghuysen and
criticised remarks delivered in the House... As
substitute for the sundry civil bill was reported
... Bills were passed making appropriations
to public buildings at several places.

arms, with an invested capital of \$8,315,299, and employing 4,579 hands.

Robert M. A. Hawk, Republican member of Congress from the Fifth Illnois district, died suddenly and unexpectedly the other day at his boarding house in Washington, aged forty-three years.

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English Journalism. The first weekly newspaper was established in England, we are told, by

consul-general at Vienna; Lewis Richmond, of Rhode Island, to be secretary of legation and consul-general at Rome; John T. Robeson, of Tennessee, to be consul at Beirut; A. T. Sharp, of Kanasa, to be consul at Manila; Lorin A. Lathrop, of Nevada, to be consul at LaPaz, Mexico; James Viosca to be consul at LaPaz, Mexico; Lieutenant-Colonel Gustavus A. DeRussy, to be colonel Fourth United States Artillery.

The description of Mexico and Defoe were all contributors to the weekly news-paper press during the Commonwealth. The first daily paper in London was called the Courant. It appeared in 1702, three days after the accession of Queen Anne. It was about the size of a single page of the Spectator, was printed only on one side, and contained nothing but a few straps of intelligence.

Petroleum—Orade. nothing but a few scraps of intelligence that would hardly pass for news at this

Butter—State Creamery, fine... Till the year 1729 there was no wishes of the house of commons and the house of lords, whose members thought the press had no right to discuss political questions. The plan of reporting was locations. The plan of reporting was locations. The plan of the

don press. The Morning Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the same time, and greatly changed the character of parliamentary Chronicle was started about the character of parliamentary character of parliamentary charact reporting, principally through the re-markable memory of William Woodfall, egg in his pocket, and then returning without a single scrap of paper write out fifteen or sixteen short col-umns of speeches. A story somewhat similar is told of Coleridge, who, having

to report a speech of Pitt, fell asleep and only heard a few words of the end of it; yet having received a few hints from others, he proceeded to write out a brilliant oration, whose authenticity was only discovered some time afterward. The Morning Chronicle invented the leading editorial, which, through the skill and learning of Coleridge the Morning Post Courier, was developed into a work of art. This was near the close

of the eighteenth century, about which time English journalism began to take time English journalism Degan to take under magistrates having control of the military, for the administration of the repression bill.

A loss of more than \$20,000 has been in-A Loss of Indicated and others in British Colum-this interesting volume of Cassell's Pop-ular Library, remarks, the story of Eng-A STEARTUG STUCK rocks outside the mouth of the Tyne in England and a number of her

Perfectly Amazed. In the San Francisco Evening Bulletin we observe that Mr. Rosenthal, of the well-Mr. Blake was a cousin of Lord Clanricarde, and was over seventy years old. A farmer anned McCausland has been killed by two nen with scythes near Ballyclare, county intim.

The Russian police have succeeded in distribution.

The Swiss authorness have considered the same of the village of Elm, Switzerland, beause of the threatening condition of the mountain.

The colored preacher responded promptly: "Don't know about that, doctor. I spect I is. I've taken a mighty sight of strong medicine from you, doctor, and I is alive yet." THE Swiss authorities have ordered the evac-nation of the village of Elm, Switzerland, be-ration of the village of Elm, Switzerland, be-ration of the village of Elm, Switzerland, be-

occasionally size up an editor's pile. R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N.Y.: I was at

their occupation gone. Yours truly, L. B. McMillan, M. D., Breesport, N. Y. It is estimated that upward of thirty thousand lives have been destroyed by the explosive products of petroleum.

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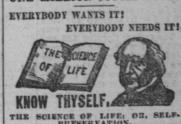
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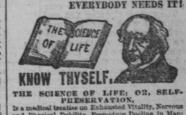
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