## NEWS OF THE WEEK

-Dr. R. W. Pease, a well-known surgeon, died suddenly in Syracuse, New York, on the 28th. John R. Bartlett, ex-Secretary of State of Rhode Island, died on the 28th in Provi-He was one of the United dence. States Commissioners to fix the boundary line between the United States and

-At Beloit, Wisconsin, on the 28th, a Salvation Army Corps was holding a meeting at a street corner, when the Mayor, who had previously forbidden the beating of the Salvation drums, finding they did not heed the order, directed them to close their exercises and return to their barracks at once, Immediately a riot took place. "A great crowd rushed upon the Salvavationists, a number of whom were women. The drums and musical instruments of the Army were demoished, and citizens were pushed down and trampled upon. Some of the Salvationists were trampled upon, and the Captain was hurried to jail to save

him from violence." -Full returns of the election in Richmond, Virginia, show that Lee, for City Sergeant, was defeated by Smith, Independent, by a majority of over 2600. The Board of Aldermen stands 9 Democrats and Independents; Common Council, Democrats and 21 Independents, making an Independent majority of 12 on joint ballot.

-- wo railroad contractors named Maloney were killed and another named Foley was mortally injured by the premature explosion of a blast on the Midland Railroad in Colorado on the

-The "Red Men," a gang of rufflans ago took Mr. and Mrs. George Keck from their house in Ritchie county, tied them to trees in the adjacent woods, and beat them savagely with hickory withes. They then burned Keck's house and left. Twelve of the ruffians have been arrested, and warrants are out for the others.

A locomotive on the Illinois Central Railroad exploded near Wildwood, on the 29th ult., injurying three train hands, one mortally. A passenger train from New Orleans, on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, was thrown from the track, near McDonald's Staspreading of the rails. The engine and hands and two passengers received se-

vere injuries. -Antonio Nardello was hanged on the 28th in Washington for the murder of Carmine Rotunno, committed last July. The motive of the crime was robbery.

-A severe storm of hail, rain and lightning visited Rutland, Vermont, and the surrounding country on the 30th ult. Some of the hailstones were three inches in diameter. Much damage was done by the bursting of a sewer. Several persons were stunned by the lightning. A heavy rain and wind storm passed over Fort Keogh, Montana, on the 29th ult., doing much damage.

-A passenger train on the Midland Railroad, of Iowa, ran into three drunken young men near Goose Lake on the 30th ult. One of the men was killed, another so badly injured that he died soon after, and the third escaped with slight bruises.

in Indianapolis, on the 30th ult, was burned on the 1st. Loss, \$30,000. having committed suicide by taking morphine and chloroform. He left a note to his wife, from whom he had separated, saying that "he was in debt, and life was not worth living." Russell had much literary talent, and under the nom de plume of "Old Time Rocks" wrote sketches and poems evincing more than average ability. John K. Boas, lumber dealer, of

Reading, Penna., made an assignment on the 30th ult. His assets are reported at \$40,000; liabilities not given First Presbyterian Church, in Camden, N. J., on the 31st uit., and slightly

damaged one of the copper rods at the top and stunned two men who were -George H. Leonard, an attorney of

Chicago, disappeared a short time ago, and his relatives said he was insane. It turns out that he has swindled a number of persons out of sums aggregating about \$40,000, and the belief is injured. general that he has betaken himself to

-A telegram from Durango, Colorado, says the Ute Indians bought large quantities of arms and ammunition there last week. They also purchased a number of saddles and a greater number of useful articles than "It is expected by some that they are preparing to make trouble if the removal scheme is not carried out satisfactorily."

-Chief Engineer Eckel, of the fire department of Syracuse, New York, was killed on the 1st at a fire in that city by being run over by a truck. first, but the matter was investigated, A ton in Greenville, Maine, was and new indictments were made out, struck by lightning on the 30th ult., and the case has been called for trial. and Frederick Mansell was killed. Three boys, also in the barn, were knocked down and one of them was severely burned.

-Thirty buildings in Pensacola Florida, were destroyed on the 1st by a fire which started in "a low gambling dive." The loss is estimated at \$60,000, and about 100 persons are homeless. A fire in Bramfield, Illinois, on the 1st, destroyed a hardware store, a grocery store, a bank, a church and the post-office, causing a loss of \$50,000.

-John Kelly, the famous Tammany leader, died on the 1st in New York. He had been ill for several months, but a few weeks ago his condition improved. Last Sunday evening he was taken with a fainting fit and gradually became weaker until the end. He was

-One of the men who blew open the County Treasurer's safe at Perryville, Missouri, and robbed it of \$6000, has been arrested and \$1326 of the money recovered from him. He has made a confession.

-Patrick Crowley has been arrested charge of murdering his wife on the per day. 31st ult., while both were drunk. In New York, on the 1st. August Enkau, employed in a shoe shop on Eighth Avenue, fired at, and, it is believed fatally wounded, a fellow-workman, named Christian Ehring. Enkau then shot himself in the head, and is not expected to recover. The cause of the tragedy is unknown.

-George McNair, colored, aged 19 years, was hanged on the 1st, at Jacksonville, North Carolina, for a felonious assault upon a little white girl.

-There was a general rain throughout the Northwest on the 31st ult., which relieved the personal fears of a

drought. -Two hundred Mormons, in charge of an elder named Pratt, arrived at New York on the 1st, by the steamer Neyada, from Liverpool.

-The public debt statement for May,

issued on the 1st, shows a reduction of

\$8,828,565.

-Martin Buzzard, one of the Welsh Mountain thieves, was on the 2d lodged in jail at Lancaster, Pennsylvania, on charges of larceny and horse stealing. Two men, named Johnson, and another named Lovett, were arrested at Albion, Idaho, on the 31st ult, for robbing the United States mail. The robbery was committed in April last, when the the thieves secured the treasure box of Wells Fargo, containing \$12,500. "The Johnsons where."

are notorious desperadoes, having in West Virginia, two or three nights been connected with various deeds of outlawry in Texas, Idaho. and else-Judge T. W. Hooper, of Monroe county, Arkansas, was on the 2d placed in the penitentiary at Little Rock, for having issued \$8000 of spurlous county scrip. William McLean, the Monmouth Park bookmaker, who was convicted last week, has been sentenced at Freehold, New Jersey, to pay a fine of \$350 and the costs of the prosecution. The case has been ap-

-A passenger train on the Pittsburg, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad was wrecked near Windfall, indiana, by tion, Alabama, on the 28th ult., by the striking a flat car which had been run on the main track. Several cars were cars were badly damaged, and two train | thrown from the track and the baggage car was badly damaged. Two train men were severely injured, and one passenger suffered hemorrhage of the

lungs from the shock. -Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, was married to Miss Frances Folsom in the White House, at Washington, on the evening of the 2d. Rev. Dr. Sunderland performed the ceremony. Shortly afterwards the newly married couple left on a special train for Deer Park, Maryland, where honeymoon

was sentenced to the penitentiary for 9 months, but not fined.

-The saw mill of T. Jerome & Co., eral other bulldings in Carrollton, Michigan, were burned on the 1st. -Major H. C. Russell, a notorious Loss, \$55,000. The Roller Corn Mill of gambler, was found dead in his room S. P. Young & Co., at Dallas, Texas, Loss, \$55,000. The Roller Corn Mill of -A local freight engine on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad exploded on the 3d, at Bellaire, Ohio, killing three train hands. The shock of the explosion smashed window glass for squares around, and fragments of the engine were blown through an adjacent house, doing great damage to the furniture.

-A hand car containing Section Boss Faust and four other men was passing over the Ohio river trestle bridge, opposite Thirty-second street, -Lightning struck the steeple of the Wheeling, on the 2d, when Faust tried to check the speed of the car by pressing down the brakes. He fell forward in front of the car, and it was thrown by his body into the almost dry bed of the stream thirtyfive feet below. Two men, named Connors and Kindleberger, were so badly injured that they died in a few minutes. The other three, Tocker, Barner and Faust, were also fatally

-Henry Dunham, aged 18 years, livng in the family of Austin Waite, near Oswego, New York, on the 3d, shot and dangerously, if not mortally wounded Mrs. Waite. He then committed suicide.

-Twenty years ago in Grant county, Kentucky, G. W. Osborn and Samuel Anderson, sons of prosperous farmers, quarrelled, and Anderson shot and killed Osborn and then fled. A short time ago a man forty years of age, haggard and worn, returned to the scene of the murder and gave himself up as the murderer. He was disbelieved at

their reservation and are raiding in Graham and Cochise counties, Arizona.

-The town of Akita, Japan, was almost entirely destroyed by fire early last month. More than 3000 houses were consumed. The Vandalia Railroad freight house, near the eastern approach of the bridge in East St. Louis, was burned on the 2d, with a quantity of freight and five empty freight cars. Loss, \$75,000. A special officer of the road, who testified before the Congressional Committee regarding the strike, was fired at twice as he was entering the house to save property, but the bullets missed their aim.

-Several young women climbed the fire-bell tower in Aspen, Colorado, on the 2d, to get a view of the town. One conscious to the last. Major General George J. Stannard, of Vermont, died on the 1st in Washington, aged about 60 years. During the war he served with distinction as commander of a with distinction as commander of a the pavement, sixty feet below, suffering fatal injuries.

of them, named Stewart, was learning against a corner-post at the edge of the tower, when the bell suddenly rang. The clang startled her, and she fell to the pavement, sixty feet below, suffering fatal injuries.

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Yeas, 177; nays, 101. Adjourned.

-The store of Joseph Salliotte, in Ecorse, near Detroit, was wrecked on the 2d, by an explosion from some unknown cause, and four of the inmates were injured, one dangerously.

-Yellow fever is said to be now epidemic on the Isthmus of Panama, the in Peabody, Massachusetts, on the deaths from the disease averaging 40

> -The U. S. revenue cutter Dix, on the 3d, brought into Tampa, Florida, and turned over to Deputy Collector Spencer, the Spanish schooners Isabel and Paco, captured off Clearwater, for the same offence as the Clotilde, cently carried to Cedar Keys by the same cutter.

-Fourteen additional Knights of Labor were arrested in Milwaukee on the 2d on indictments from the Grand Jury. Twelve of the indictments are for conspiracy—boycotting—and two for rioting. All were released on bail; the conspirators in \$1000, the rioters in \$2000 each.

Charles A. Buddensiek, the tumbledown tenement house builder, convicted of manslaughter, in New York, was on the 3d, taken to Sing Sing Penttentiary to serve out his sentence of ten years'

imprisonment at hard labor. -A copper bomb, about 12 inches in ength, fully charged and operated by clockwork, was found on the 2d, under the side walk of a saloon on West Lake street, Chicago. The saloon, kept by a man named Grief, has been for several months a resort of Socialists.

-In Baltimore on the 3d, Jacob Rosenthal was arrested and locked up to | would reach the end of the forest beawait the result of an attempt to murder Louis Goldstein by pouring vitriol into one of his ears while he was sleeping. Goldstein is said to be in a critiical condition.

# FORTY-NINTH CONGRESS.

SENATE. In the U. S. Senate on 1st, the Chair presented a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a recomappropriated for repairing the Philadelphia Court House. Mr. Beck introduced a bill prohibiting under a penalty of a fine not exceeding \$5000. or imprisonment not exceeding one year, members of Congress from acting as attorneys or employes of railroad companies that hold charters or have had grants from the United States. The bill extending the eight-hour law to letter-carriers was called up by Mr. Miller and passed. The consideration of the Northern Pacific Land Forfeiture bill was resumed. At 2 o'clock the bill went over and the Bankruptcy bill was taken up. Mr. George moved to strike from the bill all the sections providing for involuntary proceedings in bankruptcy. Mr. Hoar wanted to lay the amendment on the table. Lost

-Yeas, 14: nays, 25. Adjourned. In the U. S. Senate on the 28th, a resolution directing an investigation of they will spend at least a part of the the matter of appointments of Indian tenced in New York on the 2d, to one of the Northern Pacific land grant for in my breast—the desire for revenge. year's imprisonment in the penitentiary | feiture bill was resumed, and continued and payment of a fine of \$500. His as- until two o'clock, when the bill went sociate, Braunschweig, was sentenced over. Mr. Van Wyck's bill for the to 9 months and \$250 fine. Schenck taxation of railroad lands was taken up, but the discussion on the Northtwo salt blocks, a cooper shop and sey- executive session, and when the doors were reopened adjourned.

In the U.S. Senate on the 2d, the consideration of the Northern Pacific Forfeiture bill was resumed, and it was debated until 12 o'clock, when it Land Taxation bill. Pending its con- deed. sideration the Senate went into executive session, and when the doors were reopened adjourned.

In the United States Senate on the 3d, Mr. Dawes presented a petition from the City Council of Gloucester, Massachusetts, asking for retaliation fishing vessels. After some discussion of the subject by Messrs. Dawes, Edmunds and Hale, the petition was referred. The resolution of Mr. Wilson, of Iowa, for an investigation of the appointments of Indian traders was agreed to. After an executive session the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE In the House, on the 28th, the consideration of the Oleomargarine bill was continued, and about half the bill was gone over in Committee of the Whole, all amendments being held for the disposal of private pension bills, Adjourned.

In the House on the 1st, the communication of the Supervising Architect of the Treasury asking \$39.500 for the repair of the Philadelphia Court House was presented. Bills were reported amending the laws relative to the transmission of lottery advertisements through the mails, and for the forfeiture of the land grant to the New Orleans, Baton Rouge and Vicksburg Railroad Company. The House then went into Committee on the Oleomargarine bill. An amendment was agreed to, reducing from 10 to 8 cents per pound the tax on oleomargarine. Mr. Dunham moved to strike out the taxing -It is reported that one hundred section. Lost-yeas, 30; nays, 134. White Mountain Apaches have left Pending further action the Committee rose, and the House adjourned.

In the House on the 2d, the House went into Committee of the Whole on the Oleomargarine bill. After much discussion and the adoption of several amendments, the Committee rose and reported the bill to the House, the understanding being that a vote should be taken, and that an opportunity should be given to allow members to pass upon the question of reducing the rate of tax imposed. The House then ad-

In the House on the 3d, Mr. O'Neill, of Missouri, from the Committee on Labor, reported back the Senate bill extending to letter carriers the provisions of the eight-hour law. The consideration of the Oleomargarine

#### An Easter Custom.

I met her Easter morning In the old Cathedral aisle, And early at the service She gave me bow and smile.

The sexton old had vanished, The organist asleep: I asked if ancient customs It were not well to keep.

"Oh, yes," she gravely answered; "To which do you refer?" "Tis one the Greeks now practice; "'Tis pleasing, I aver.'

"Oh! something quaint and olden! And could we do it here?" Slyly I glanced about us. And saw no one was near.

"I think we might," she answered: For how could I resist? I wonder if the preacher Knew some one had been kissedf

## A PIECE OF CLOTH.

"Step a little brisker, Nell," said I

to my horse, with a chirp. I was riding along a country road, with dense woods on both sides. It was fast getting dark, and although I cannot say that I feared anything, still I had no desire to be in the shadow of the trees in the dark; hence I was in a hurry. I still had at least five miles to go, and it was doubtful whether I fore dark.

I rode on a mile, in silence, when suddenly I thought I heard a groan.

"Whoa, Nell!" My horse stopped and I listened attentively. Hearing nothing, I started my horse, but had hardly gone a few steps when the sound again fell on my ear. This time I dismounted, and telling my horse to stand still, made my way mendation of the Supervising Arch- through the bushes and looked about itect of the Treasury that \$30,500 ber for the person who seemed to be in distress. The person gave vent to another groan, and led by the sound, I soon stumbled upon the prostrate body

of a man. "What's up?" asked I quickly, as I

bent over him. He replied by another groan, and writhed as if in terrible pain. Finding that I could get nothing out of him, I quickly collected a pile of dry branches and lit a fire. The flames flared up, and by their light I again looked at the stranger. I could scarcely believe my eyes. It was my brother, who had shared my boyhood's troubles and joys-I stood for some time as one stup-

efied; but when he uttered another groan I tenderly bent over him and quickly unbuttoned his coat. A ghastly wound in his side met my view, and traders by the Commissioner of Indian | I realized that it had been made by a -John Most, the Anarchist, was sen- Affairs was reported. Consideration ball from a pistol. A fierce desire rose Can you blame me?

"Who did it. Alf?" asked I fiercely. "Tell me who did it."

My brother tried to answer me, but ern Pacific forfeiture question was could not articulate a word. I ran to kept up. Finally the Senate went into a neighboring brook and filled my hat with water, and letting him drink some, I moistened his face and hands; and then wetting my handkerchief I placed it on the wound. I knew my went over to give place to the Railroad wished to find out who did the terrible "Tell me who did it, Alf?" petitioned

"Promise you won't murder!" said be faintly.

"I'll let the law take its course," "Don't know his name," said he. for the Canadian seizures of American "He's a pretty tall man-black eyes

stood over the corpse a few moments but asking none by myself. and gave full play to my thoughts. These were abruptly stopped by the neigh of the horse. I then realized away from the spot. Then and there, plainly. I was sure of my man then. voted down. An evening session was over the body of my dead brother, I and rode quickly toward the village,

As I rode along, my thoughts were reader may easily imagine. My brothlive; but then the desire for revenge again took possession of me, and, naturally enough my thoughts turned and dwelt upon the murderer.

"Pretty tall, with black eyes and hair, and young!" repeated I, again and again. There were many of that description, and it would be hard to find the murderer of my brother from among them. His last words were the only clew:

"Little finger on right -- " Most probably he meant "hand;" he could not well have meant anything else. But what of the little finger of his right hand? Was it hurt in any way, cut or bruised? He might have meant that, or he might also have meant that the finger was off entirely; in fact, I at last concluded that he intended to say the latter.

I soon reached the village, and deposited my burden at my boardingonly ones who really mourned were Nellie Burton-who had been engaged to my brother-and myself,

After the funeral I proceeded to the place where the murder had been committed to see whether I could not | take its course." and Mr. Hiram Shef- | except by the signs of wear,

find another clew. I found one thing which I thought might prove some- prison. thing, but hardly had any expectations that it would. It was a piece of cloth, which had been bound round a finger. I placed it carefully in my inner vest

pocket and went home. I did not feel like hunting out the murderer yet, but decided to remain in the village for some time. I thought, too, that the villain might be in our

very midst. A week after the funeral I found myself at Nellie Burton's house as a visitor. I was there introduced to a stranger whose name was Hiram Sheffield. I had not been there long when I saw he was aspiring to gain the hand of Nellie. This did not please me over much. He seemed to feel disappointed when she did not seem merry; for it showed that she had cared more for Alfred Lawrence, my brother, than he wished.

"Miss Burton seems to have cared a great deal for your brother, Mr. Lawrence," said he to me, once, when Nel-

lie had left the room There was a scarcely perceptible sneer in his voice, that stung my heart | the oath as president. The constitu-

to the core. "They were engaged," answered I, shortly.

"Have you any suspicions as to who murdered your brother?"

"None at all," answered I, wondering what business it was of his. "No clew?"

"Nothing particular."

He got up and walked away, to more agreeable company, I supposed, and I was as glad he was gone. He had spoken of my brother lightly, and I are elected for four years. could not like the man. A little while after Nellie came to me.

"Dick," said she to me, "have you ever met Mr. Sheffield before?" "Never, that I know of," answered

"Do you like him?" "I cannot say I do. He spoke light-

y of Alfred." "Why! he did not know him."

"No. He only seems to have heard of him. Who is he?" "A friend of a friend of my father," answered she, somewhat gayly, as she

walked away. When I went home I was invited by Mr. Sheffield to call upon him.

"To-morrow night, Mr. Lawrence, if you please," said he as we parted. "I hope we'll be friends." I went home, and my thoughts dwelt

apon Mr. Sheffield. I had some serious thoughts of refusing the invitation, but sometimes culminating in civil war. overcame my dislike and concluded to His elevation to commanding influence go. So the next night found me at the residence of the Sheffields.

that Hiram would be down soon. Presently a little girl of ten came in.

"Hiram said he'd be down right away," said she, as she seated herself | cludes provision for public worship and upon a low chair. She then opened a for the education of the masses, the small basket and poured the contents latter made compulsory since 1870. into her lap. They were only rags, probably used for her doll.

"They're to dress my doll-baby," said she, proudly. Suddenly a piece of brother could not live, and I only cloth among her collection caught my

> "Will you let me see this?" asked I, as I took it.

"Oh, yes," answered she. "Hiram tore a piece off for his finger. It was bleeding awful, and he didn't cry a bit!"

Fortunately I had the scrap which I had picked up in the woods with me. I and hair-young-little finger on right | took it out and held it to the other piece. It fitted exactly, and the print was just He stopped suddenly and quickly, the same. I handed her back the piece, placed his hand on the wound as if it and presently Hiram came in. I kept pained him. I gave him more water, up appearances as well as I could, anbut he never spoke another word. I swering his questions in monosyllables,

During the interview I observed his right hand very carefully, and at one time, when he put his hand to his two and a quarter million. my situation and made haste to get mouth, the little finger was shown

Hiram Sheffield was rather tall with vowed to seek out the murderer if black eyes and hair, and was young! possible. I then took up the body and The little finger on his right hand was placed it before me on my horse Nell terribly scarred, and seemed like a mass of bruised flesh.

Yes, undoubtedly he was my broththough there was nothing for which to | was my brother to him? Then I thought of Nellie Burton-perhaps she had something to do with it!

monition to call again. I immediately proceeded to Mr. Burton's residence, and asked for Nellie. As I was an old friend of the family,

I readily obtained permission. From her I ascertained the following facts: Mr. Sheffield had come to our village a few months before, and had often visited the Burton's.

Just before the murder he had proaway until after my brother's funeral pad of chamois skin. and now he again came regularly.

I concluded that he had learned to know my brother by sight, and meeting him in the forest had slain him, in

effect.

field was arrested and thrown into

At his trial I gave my evidence, and he was condemned to die. Even when of a bright color and fantastic print, I was told that he had committed suicide, I felt that my desire for revenge was satiated, for I deem death by one's own hand as disgraceful as hanging, or, at least, very nearly so.

Reader, do you blame me when I tell you that Nellie Burton is my wife? I hope not, for her devotion to my beloved brother won my love, and when, a few years afterward, she acknowledged that she loved me almost as well as my dead brother, I was satisfied. I could hardly expect that she would love me as well.

## A NEW AMERICAN PRESIDENT.

Guzman Blanco, Who Took the Oath as President of Venezuela on March 1, 1886.

That Venezuela is one of the most progressive and prosperous of the smaller nationalities of the New World is largely owing to the enlightenment and energy of Guzman Blanco, the distinguished statesman who on March 1 took tion of Venezuela was designed on the model of that of the United States, with some differences. A president is at the head of the central executive government, as with us, but his term is only two years, and he exercises his functions through six ministers, and a federal council of sixteen members. This body is appointed by the Congress every two years, and its president, elected by itself, is also president of the republic. Members of both branches of Congress

Guzman Blanco has served his country well and faithfully since the year 1885, in various capacities including those of president and envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Great Britain. His profound acquaintance with advanced forms and modes of government is associated with a large and liberal view of the material, mental and moral forces of modern civilization. As opportunity has served he has so utilized his knowledge as to place his country in an advanced position among progressive states. The enterprise of Venezuela presents one of the pleasantest features in the condition of South America to-day.

When Blanco first entered upon public Ufe, Venezuela was only twenty-five years old as an independent state. Before and subsequently its progress was much retarded by intestine dissensions, in the councils of his country was accompanied by the restoration of inter-I was shown into the parlor, and told | nal peace, which has been continued since, and has afforded scope for the gratifying national progress to which reference has been made. This inwhen only ten per cent. of the people could read and write. In 1884 there were only 102 miles of railroad in operation and 270 miles under construction; 1,145 miles of telegraph and forty offices: and 160 post offices. The high roads of the country have been greatly improved during recent years, and large sums of money have been spent on various municipal improvements. Agriculture has made excellent progress, and the mineral resources of the country have been hopefully developed. Coal, iron, copper and gold are found in Venezuela. A report of the British minister at Caracas, states that the Venezuelan gold fields are the richest, though at present not the most productive in the world. The foreign commerce of the country approaches forty million dollars a year, and the total tonnage of ships owned by it about twenty-five thousand. Venezuela has a population of

# White Hands.

White hands are coming in fashion again; lawn tennis boating and all the masculine accomplishments having for a time induced women unnecessarily to redden their hands. Chapped and red none of the most exhilarating, as the er's murderer! I felt as though I hands are never pretty. The daughters could scarcely keep my fingers from his of fashion now have dishes of hot water er's dead body before me, I felt as throat. But why had he done it? What shaped like a flower leaf, on their toilette tables, in which they steep their hands for a while before going to bed, then anoint them with vaseline and I left Mr. Scheffield on the plea of put on gloves lined with a preparation illness, and he consented, with the ad- of cold cream. The gloves should be of wash leather and several sizes too large for the hand. In the morning wash the hands with almond powder in water, and in hot water at that, afterward dipping them for a moment in cold water to prevent chapping. Then rub them from the finger tips back to the wrist. If a manicure is not brought in for the nails an ivory instrument. should be used for the pushing back of posed to Nellie (she told me with a the skin from the root of the nail and blush), and she had told him that she each nail carefully trimmed with a was engaged to Alfred. He had stayed sharp knife, then rubbed with a soft

# One Garment That Changes Not.

Tehre is one garment which is sacred from the craze for change that attacks. order to put him out of his way. My tailors and those who make men's place. No parents were living, and the brother had doubtlessly intended to fashions, and that is the dress coat. The body coat, the sack coat, the cuta-"The little finger on his right hand | way and the blouse all change with the was bandaged," or something to that seasons, but the dress coat changes so little that no one is able to detect the I was not long in letting "the law difference between the old and the new,