

TO HIM WHO WAITS.

To him who waits amid the world's applause His share of justice, toiling day by day. All things will come now dim and far away.

Ordeal of the Young Seigneur.

His chief occupation in the daytime was to stand on the bench by the small barred window and watch the pigeons on the roof and in the caves of the hospital opposite.

and on a chain of circumstantial evidence Louis Converse, the young Seigneur, was sent to prison for ten years for manslaughter. That was the compromise effected.

He turned from them, and as he did he saw a woman looking at him from a corner of the court room with a strange, wild expression.

upon him and be punished for it," she said, an agony in her eyes. "Why was that?" he said, looking at her intently.

The prayer book cross, or Drake cross, as the cross in Golden Gate Park is known, is by far the largest cross in the world and is in many respects the most notable piece of stonework on the American continent.

THE BACHELOR.

Treatment He Once Received at the Law's Hands. When a proposal was made not so long ago to tax the bachelors of France, as they were taxed in the days of the First Republic the fact was recalled that republics generally have been hard upon the celibates.

Speaking of the late Mrs. Paran Stevens, the New York society leader, The Worcester (Mass.) Gazette says: One story is repeated of her which may be placed here to her credit, although it was not long since it was told in print.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

A new sled will push a boy up hill. It never rains exactly when it ought to. Fine feathers make fine sofa-cushions.

Bought the Ship That Brought Him. An interesting anecdote is told of the late Captain Theodore Julius, whose death occurred within the past week.

The Egyptian Lentil.

It is in Egypt that the lentil crop is of the most value, for in the land of the Pharaohs the lentil forms one-sixth of the food of the people, besides being extensively exported to other countries.

Window Gardening in Greenland. A member of the Peary relief expedition has described in the Brooklyn Standard-Union a visit made last July to the house of Governor Almqvist, Disco, Greenland, seventeenth degree of latitude.

Spring Cleaning

Is such a trial that men say "Let the house take care of itself." But the conscientious wife feels bound to risk health and strength in the annual struggle with dust and dirt.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is the Only True Blood Purifier

Prominently in the Public Eye Today.

Advertisement for W.L. Douglas \$3 shoe featuring a portrait of the inventor and a list of shoe styles including 'S3 SHOES', 'CORDOVAN', 'FINE CALF & KANGARU', 'POLICE SHOES', 'WORKINGMEN'S', 'BOYS SCHOOL SHOES', and 'LADIES'.

Advertisement for steel tanks with text: 'WALL ST. NEWS LETTER of value sent FREE to readers of the paper. Charles A. Baldwin & Co., 40 Wall St., N.Y.' and 'STEEL TANKS We furnish tanks with covers, all galvanized after completion.'

Popularity of the Telephone. Berlin and Vienna were connected by telephone only about a month ago, and already there is business enough to need another line.

Romance of the Billiard Ball.

Interesting as is the natural history of the billiard ball, its romance is no less attractive. A product of the most intelligent of animals, grown in the wilds of a tropical forest, taken by the wily devices of savage men, transported many hundreds of miles on the shoulders of hapless slaves, the object for which battle and murder are done, carried round the globe by sail and steam, manufactured into proper shape by the labor of skilled mechanics, the means by which professional players gain their livelihood, by which amateurs pass a social hour in the billiard hall, on the private table, often at some period of its career in the pawn shop, finally, when its usefulness as a billiard ball is ended, to be cut up into toys, there are few articles of ordinary use, even in the midst of our extraordinary civilization, that can show a more varied history.

The Virtue in Oyster Shells.

Ground oyster shells were prescribed by empirics in the olden time for goitrous, ricketty and scrofulous children. In a communication to the Academy of Medicine in Paris Drs. Munz and Chatin say they were right. Oyster shells were long ago known to contain lime, nitrogen, iron and sulphur. Beside these constituents they hold manganese, magnesium, fluor bromine, phosphoric acid and iodine—all excellent for feeble children. The bromine taken from the oyster shell is a strong antiseptic. Teeth, they say, would be much improved were pulverized oyster shells given in food to growing children and to nurses.

In contradistinction to the bonnets, which are small, the round hats are larger than ever and most picturesque.