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Felled By Cigar Store Indian.

Dr. H. B. West touched a bunch of cigars held by an Indian squaw in front of the Maheckemo cigar store with the tip of his umbrella during a shower here the other afternoon, and she knocked him unconscious in the gutter.

Dr. West was senseless more than ten seconds, and it was an hour or so before he really realized what had occurred. He is willing to swear that this Indian squaw has a punch that would put out John L. Sullivan in his prime. Through a short circuiting of wires the metallic sign had become charged with the 2,500 volts of the electricity, and but for his having rubber hee and gloves on his hands, the doctor might have been killed .- New York

Thought Uncle Sam Owns Washington.

In spite of all the illuminating information that is sent out of Washington by the newspaper correspondents and magazine writers, the public, somehow, can never be made to understand the exact relations of the government to the citizens of the District of Columbia. A business man from Indiana, who was here the other day and thought he knew all about it insisted to some friends that the government owned every foot of ground in the original boundaries of ten miles square and leased to the inhabitants what was not needed for government buildings.

Must Be Interesting.

A French visitor remarks that 'The Frenchman makes 30,000 francs and keeps it until he dies. The American has \$50,000 one day. and the next he is a street car conductor." This is a start that piques curiosity for the rest of the book of travel .- St Louis Globe-Democrat.

A woman takes more joy out of finding a withered flower that one of the children pressed in a book than a man does in finding a tendollar bill in an old suit of clothes.

FIT THE GROCER Wife Made the Suggestion.

A grocer has excellent opportunity to know the effects of special foods on his customers. A Cleveland grocer has a long list of customers that have been helped in health by leaving off coffee and using Postum Food Coffee.

He says, regarding his own experferce: "Two years ago I had been drinking coffee and must say that I was almost wrecked in my nerves.

"Particularly in the morning I was so irritable and upset that I could hardly wait until the coffee was served, and then I had no appetite for breakfast and did not feel like attending to my store duties.

"One day my wife suggested that inasmuch as I was selling so much Postum there must be some merit in it and suggested that we try it. I took home a package and she prepared it according to directions. The result was a very happy one. My nervousness gradually disappeared. and to-day I am all right. I would advise every one affected in any way with nervousness or stomach troubles, to leave off coffee and use Postum Food Coffee." "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville,"

in pkgs. Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human

Syrup Figs NEWS OF PENNSYLVANIA

ADMITS HE TIED

SELF IN HIS BED.

confession that he was the author of dreds of bargain hunters. the threatening letters addressed to Mary Ellis.

Swing suspected that young Harry ington. When Inspector Newhard arrived here he went to the Harry home and accused young Harry of being the author of the letters and tying himself in bed. At first the young man denied the charge, but on being put through a sweating process he broke down and made a full confession in the following sworn statement:

"I hereby state under oath that I wrote and mailed the letters addressed to J. Barton Harry and Miss Mary Ellis, which were intended as Blackhand letters; same letters postmarked at Coatesville, May 4 and 8, 1908.

people created by the affair. The sing and is believed to have been inonly solution of Harry's strange cinerated. Mrs. Lorenzo was terripranks is that he was extremely jeal- bly burned in an attempt to rescue win her sympathy.

TO HAVE DISPOSAL PLANT.

Norristown (Special). - Some of the Norristown borough authorities declared that they claim the right to tained by State Health Commissioner Dr. Samuel G. Dixon and his employees toward this borough with reference to the pollution of the Schuylkill River, as affecting Philadelphia's water supply. It is explained for the borough's continued use of the river as the receptacle for its sewage that Norristown has been for years preparing to otherwise make disposal, a matter that cannot be arranged in a few days or months.

In behalf of the town it is shown that its recently constructed trunl line sewer carries all its sewage to the lowest point of the town, where ground for a filtration plant has already been acquired. This purchase was made known for the first time Thursday as it had to be made secretly so that the sellers of the land would not become aware of its intend-

ed purpose In explaining the delay in establishing a disposal plant, a Norristown Councilman uses some very significant words. He says on this line that not until a few months ago was a practicable and reasonable disposal plant as to cost found by the local authorities, numbers that were inspected becostly beyond limit in original respects that the same system is already planned here.

money appropriated by Town Coun- disappeared to. cil by recent ordinance to park purposes was intended to furnish part of what was needed for a sewage disposal plant, and the subject is likely to be decided on this summer.

TO MAKE THEIR OWN CEMENT.

Pittsburg (Special) .- Angered by what it claims was exorbitant prices charged for cement by independent concerns in the past few years, the United States Steel Corporation has entered the cement making field itself, and now threatens to drive the small makers of cement out of business. A new cement making plant, costing \$1,000,000, and with a capacity of 3,000,000 barrels per year, was opened between the Homestead poration, on the Monongahela River, above Pittsburg. Through a recently liscovered process the corporation will be enabled to convert its immense slag piles into marketable

The plan of establishing cementnoped to make 5,000,000 barrels per check in good faith. year, which will be more than enough buyer as the corporation itself has St. Luke's Hospital, South Bethlewithdrawn.

ACQUIRES BIG COAL FIELDS.

Pittsburg (Special) .- The extensive property of the Federal Coal and Coke Company, near Fairmount, W. Va., has been purchased by the New England Gas and Coke Company of Boston for a spot cash consideration of \$1,250,000. The purchaser, which is one of the largest concerns of its kind in the country and which controls the coke and gas business of Boston and surrounding towns, will immediately expend \$750,000 in the

further development of the property. The purchase includes 5,500 acres of exceptionally good gas and coal fields, situated 12 miles south of Fairmont, on a branch of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. The field cannon. The old cannon was one has 300 acres of surface, containing of the old scmooth-bore type, and company was controlled by Pittsburg

Once Prominent, Dies A Suicide.

zog, who was formerly a prominent saturating with oil, turpentine and business man in this city, was found other ingredients. Thin layers of hanging in a stable dead. He was 57 years of age. About 1885 Herzog, who was then in the grocery business, was convicted of note forgeries aggregating in the neighbor-moisture.—London Globe. hood of \$40,000. He was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment, and since lege in the United States is George his release made a precarious living. town College, Georgetown, D. C. Despondency over the late loss of a position is supposed to have induced much the same as opium, is prepared the suicide.

STATE HOLDS AN AUCTION.

Harrisburg (Special) - Over \$1500 Coatesville (Special) .- The mys- was realized by the State from a tery surrounding the gagging and ty- sale of old furniture, rich in political ing in bed of J. Barton Harry at his history, but no longer serviceable home on East Main Street, was clear- The auction took place in the rotuned up on the arrival here of United da and corridors which were turned States Postal Inspector S. U. New- into a market place and the sale, hard, to whom Harry made a full lasting all day, was attended by hun-

Some of the articles sold were bid himself and to his sweetheart, Miss entirely too high, especially carpets. On the other hand, two planes from From the start Postmaster A. H. the executive mansion, made of mahogany, but painted white, sold at was the author of the letters and the \$300 and \$155. They cost \$300 and author of the supposed attempt on \$1500 when new some years ago. his life, and he at once communicated Desks bought for the Legislature with the Postal Department at Wash- when it met in Grace Church, at \$18, were sold at \$5 and \$8. The furniture from the former governor's room was sold singly and widely scattered.

THREE BURNED TO DEATH.

Williamsport (Special) .- Two persons were burned and another died in a hospital later and a fourth is missing as the result of a fire which occurred in the home of Joseph Lorenzo, at Castenea, near here. The fire followed an explosion of a lamp. The dead are:

Pasquale Bonady, a boarder, and (Signed) "J. Barton Harry."

The confession of Harry has greatyears old and the other aged three
years. A how of eight years is misly relieved the nervousness of the years. A boy of eight years is misous of Miss Ellis, and he aimed to her children. The father of the family was badly burned while attempting to save one of the children.

BOY KILLS MOTHER.

Mahanoy City (Special) .- Mrs. Albert Major, of Lanigans, near this feel aggrieved at the attitude main- city was shot dead with a rifle bullet intended for a cat, at her home. The shooting was an accident, according to the two sons, George and William, who had been handling the rifle from which the fatal bullet was fired.

The boys were stationed at an open window watching for cats after the young chickens. The rifle lay on table close by. When Mrs Major entered the room, William, who is only 5 years old, had the weapon in his hands, and it was discharged. Mrs. Major died in a few moments, the bullet entering her heart.

Veteran Railroad Conductor Dead. Easton (Special) .- Thomas Callahan, a retired passenger conductor on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, died aged 64 years. He was a Civil War veteran, serving as a private and later corporal in Company E, Fortyseventh Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, of which J. P. S. Gobin was colonel. He was employed by the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company near

Money Expressed To Bank Lost.

ly forty years.

aport (Special).-A pack outlay as well as in operating ex- age containing \$107, consigned to a penses. The city of Reading's new local bank via the United States Explant proves so reasonable in these press is strangely missing, having been lost here, and the local agent 1. J. Kantner, is conducting an in-It is no longer a secret that the vestigation to determine where it has

STATE ITEMS

James Parker, of Danville, who for the last year has been working at Linnwood, near Philadelphia, was robbed of \$140, a year's savings, on a Pennsylvania train, as he was returning home for a vacation.

Mrs. Michael Rinko, aged 25 years. deliberately threw herself beneath the wheels of a Delawore & Hudson train because she was despondent over the treatment she is said to have received from her husband. She was killed instantly.

Jeremiah F. Werner, at Reading. brought suit against Rev. M. H. Stettler for \$10,000 damages for slander, said to have been uttered by and the Duquesne mills of the cor- the minister during a funeral sermon over the body of the plaintiff's wife. The defendant was arrested several weeks ago on a similar charge.

Because he gave a check for a large sum of money when he had not sufficient funds in bank, C. N. McCarthy, a theatrical manager of making plants in both Pittsburg and New York, was arrested at Pottsville, Chicago was evolved, and it is now McCarthy claims that he gave the Miss Virginia White, who for sev-

o flood the market after such a big enteen years was superintendent of hem, and principal of its training school, resigned. Her temporary successor is Miss Marie S. Brown.

ODDS AND ENDS.

The mole will starve to death in Fishhooks have been made on pre-

cisely the same design for 2,000 The one hundredth anniversary of the opening of the port of Rio de

Janeiro, Brazil, to international commerce is to be celebrated next year by a national exhibition of industrial, pastoral and art products from June 15 to September 1. The most remarkable clock weight

in Maine is that of the Baptist Church at Cherryfield-an old smooth-bore was brought by Gleason R. Campbell from Boston on one of the return trips of lumber vessels.

A German not long ago invented Lancaster (Special) .- Joseph Her- a horseshoe of paper, prepared by The oldest Roman Catholic Col-

from the gum taken from hemp.

FOUND THE CAUSE.

After Six Years of Misery and Wrong

Treatment. John A. Enders, of Robertson Avenue. Pen Argyl, Pa., suffered for six bruck, repeated without missing a years with stinging train. pain in the-back, vio-

lent headaches and assured by a specialist that his kidneys were all right, though the

sediment. Not satisfied, Mr. Enders ground quivering beneath him. started using Doan's Kidney Pills. The kidneys began to act more regularly," he says, "and in a short time I passed a few gravel stones. I felt better right away, and since then have had no kidney trouble." Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box.

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Real Philosopher.

"I have bad news, Henry," said the wife of the millionaire. "What is it, my dear?" asked the old man cooly.

"-why, our daughter has eloped with the chauffeur." The old millionaire twirled his glasses in meditation.

"Oh, it might have been worse," he yawned.

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It's easier to be a college graduate than it is to earn a living.

A YEAR ON TRAINS.

The ordeal of spending a year on trains has been gone through with by an American in Europe for a wager of \$6,000. His route was from Vienna to Luiz, Salzburg and Luns-

He was at first loath to take the wager because experience had taught dizzy spells, and was him how wearisome railway train life was, but the prospect of winning the money for his family enticed him to accept. He soon realized that he had underrated his troubles. Nervous atsecretions showed a tacks came on him when he stepped reddish, brick - dust from the train, and he felt the

After some weeks of boundless monotony, and although he read, slept, spoke and moved about in his compartment, he felt like one robbed of his freedom. The specter of his possibly going mad so tortured him that he felt his will undergoing a constant struggle not to go near the

Worst of all was the hot summer, when only iron energy and complete abstinence from smoking and drinking-excepting fruit juices-kept him going. He ate little food.

Most Popular Name For Brides. Ann was the most popular name

for brides in 1907. The Maggies, the Marys, the Kates and the Rosies, all of whom have in past years carried Worse? How could it have been off the honor, must now bow to Ann. Thomas C. Smith, the application "Why, she might have eloped with clerk of the marriage license bureau, the chef and then we would have has for years kept a record of the missed our dinner, my dear."-Chi- most popular names of brides, and his records for 1907 show that there

have been more brides with Ann as

a handle to their names and sur-

names than any other. Katie carries off second honors, and Mary, once so popular, drifted away back to the seventh place. In 1906 Maggie won first place, but now

she takes third place. Mr. Smith places the 10 most pop-ular brides of 1907 in their respective standing as follows: Ann, Kate, Maggie, Elizabeth, Sarah, Carrie, Mary, Rosa, Emma and Clara .- Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Mathematical Mind.

A literary worker who wished to do a large amount of reading by Bricks made of sand and lime and proxy advertised for an assistant hardened in the air are used largely capable of digesting the contents of in communities where there is no a tremendous quantity of books in a clay from which clay brick can be very short while. While weighing made, but where an abundance of each applicant's qualifications for rapid, assimilative reading he inquired carefully into the mathematical acquirements. He finally chose the man who was most skillful at untangling arithmetical problems.

"On the surface that seems an unnecessary accomplishment in this case," he said, "but experience has taught me that anybody who is expert in figures can read any kind of literature put before him with greater accuracy and speed than the person lacking in mathematical acumen."-New York Times.

A girl calls it a romance when a man likes the way her mother has tomato soup made.



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