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Idle Talk. In a recent speech, before an association of glass-blowers in New Jersey, Mr. Powderly is reported to have said: "Any bottle brought into my house does not go back. I can't smash a beer bottle, as I drink ginger ale, but the bottle never goes back. That is a small thing, but if ninety thousand men who get bottles, were to destroy them, it would make a big hole."

Keep Cool. The Philadelphia Press keeps on running the Democratic politics of the state at high pressure, knowing a great deal more than anybody else and telling a great deal more than it knows.

Heuce These Tears. The distress of some of the Republican grid organs over what they consider the violations of the civil service reform would be lamentable if they were not ridiculous. But they need not lie so desperately about it. It is not true, for instance, as one of these fearful crocodiles says, that "it is forbidden by the law to inquire into the politics of the applicants."

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deposited in the national museum, and this was accomplished without disturbing a feather.

As yet the president has been sustained in every veto, when the facts were before Congress just as they were before him.

MAJOR SUMNER is the energetic officer charged with the suppression of the irrepressible Oklahoma boomers, and it is reported that he has directed the Indians of that region to plough five yards around their ranges as a means of protection against the fire that is intended to start; the idea being that by destroying all the grass the invaders will be left without support for their stock, while the land of the Indians surrounded by the grid of ploughed land will be protected from the fire.

It does not appear probable that any such scheme has been adopted, as the information is given in the same dispatch that tells of the projected advance of the Oklahoma boomers led by H. E. Nugent, one of the most enthusiastic chiefs.

Their policy is one of tireless agitation, and they hope by keeping the matter constantly before the people to finally induce Congress to throw open the coveted Oklahoma territory when the agitators being the nearest, will gobble up the best of them.

MAJOR SUMNER probably adopted the scheme ascribed to him without hesitating if he considered it necessary, but in view of the fact that the wind would carry the fire to leap the ploughed barrier and that it might spread far beyond the territory it would be kindled to protect, there is small chance that it will be tried except as a last resort.

A small body of troops are attempting to guard a frontier that has no natural barrier, but is open at every point, and the invaders are well organized to resist the Indians and retreat from the United States troops, so that our government has a most exciting game on its hands in the Indian territory.

THE SENATE has passed the river and harbor bill after making a twenty-five per cent reduction, which decreases the aggregate of the bill to about \$14,000,000.

A NEW SUMMER NOVEL

THE FIRST EXPERIMENT IN EXTENDED FICTION BY A WRITER WHO HAS MADE HIS REPUTATION WITH SCIENTIFIC SHORT STORIES—HIS NEW WORK AND ITS CHARACTERISTICS

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WE WONDER at and admire more than anything else the bold daring of Stockton. He fearlessly overrides all the rules and laws of the conventional story. When we learn of his plan in his last novel, "The Late Mrs. Null," we are struck by the audacity and the stream of his stories is full of sudden twists and turns which constantly bring us face to face with bold jutting rocks.

His sudden surprises. His chief delight seems to be in giving us sudden surprises. He leads us sometimes along very comfortably and quietly when suddenly we come face to face with a sphinx—often in the shape of a question which we cannot answer.

But while the book is full of startling occurrences and surprises, which amply illustrate the peculiar character of that one character, Stockton's mind which Edward Egginton used to find so interesting, is also full of other features of the story which merit special mention.

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