

PROMINENT PEOPLE.

ASTOR'S income is \$23,000 a day. The German Kaiser is a poor dancer. RENAN, the French historian, is sixty-eight years old.

WORLD'S FAIR NOTES.

PENNSYLVANIA'S Exposition building will cost \$75,000. THE Florida Horticultural Society has asked for three acres in which to show an orange grove and make a fruit display.

SABBATH SCHOOL.

INTERNATIONAL LESSON FOR OCTOBER 25. Lesson Text: "Christ Comforting His Disciples"—John xv. 1-3; 15-27. —Golden Text: John xv. 16.—Commentary.

HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS.

FEAR FIRES. The late pears that do not ripen until they have been picked some time make nice pies. Line a dish with rich crust and fill with sliced pears, dotted with butter, and sprinkled with sugar to sweeten and cinnamon to flavor.

ODD LIFE IN GULF WEED.

CURIOUS ANIMALS THAT TRAVEL WITH A GREAT CURRENT. A Little Fish's Protective Resemblance to the Weed—Floating Weed Crowded with Life. It is surprising what curious creatures live in gulf weed.

NEWS AND NOTES FOR WOMEN.

Felt is in great request in Paris. Susan B. Anthony is a vegetarian. Jet nail heads or cabochons are sure of being in style.

EX-GOVERNOR J. MADISON WELLS, of Louisiana, is now eighty-five years old, and almost blind. EX-GOVERNOR H. H. HARRIS, of Montana, who is now a millionaire, turned the windmill of a mine hoist in the early days of Helena.

THE State Department at Washington has just received from Russia an appointment of its royal World's Fair Commission, and that the President of it is Privy Councillor Count S. S. S. S. S. S.

1. "Let not your heart be troubled; ye believe in God, believe also in Me." The pastor over lamb had been written, and super to commemorate "The Lord's death hour He came" had been instituted, and very soon now He would go forth to His agony in Gethsemane, but He thinks not of Himself; He feels for those whom He is soon to leave, and He comforts them.

MUTTON COLLOPS. Have ready some neatly trimmed, rather small, thin slices from the chump end of a loin of mutton. Fry the collops in butter until a nice brown all over on both sides, remove from the steppan and add a little more butter with some chopped parsley and a little finely-chopped onion (or shallot), stew quickly until done; then add a tablespoonful of catch-up, a little less of flour, half a pint or less of good stock and the juice of half a lemon; season well with pepper and salt, return the collops to the sauce and make them very hot, but do not boil them. Serve with potato balls or mashed potato. —Chicago News.

THE great Gulf current, in its course northward along the Atlantic coast and around the great circuit that forms with its eddy the famous Sargasso Sea of marine grasses, carries along with it an endless stream of life in connection with the gulf weed which floats upon it in "windrows."

As represented by statistics Adelina Patti, the prima donna, is forty-eight years old. Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, the author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," is over eighty years old.

THE DESPATCH WRECKED.

She Went Ashore On Assateague (Va.) Shoals in a Gale. The United States steamer Despatch while on her way from New York to Washington ran ashore on Assateague shoals on the Virginia coast during the night and was totally wrecked.

NEWSPAPER MEN KILLED.

They Were Riding on an Engine Which Left the Track. A terrible accident, resulting in the death of three members of the Chicago Inter-Ocean staff and the serious injury of several other passengers, occurred on the Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railway on morning's ago about 11 o'clock at Crest Hill. The dead are: Leonard Washburne, sporting editor of the Inter-Ocean; Fred W. Henry, a reporter recently from Louisville; J. J. McAfferty, an artist, recently from St. Louis; James Clark, engineer.

RIOT IN URUGUAY.

Revolutionists Shot Down by Troops in Montevideo. There was a serious attempt at revolution at Montevideo, Uruguay, on a recent evening. The members of a revolutionary club in the suburbs of the city first upon the troops stationed near at hand.

KITCHEN NOTES.

A large earthen bowl should always be used for stirring cake in. A rug under one's feet is restful when long standing is necessary, as in ironing, or in washing dishes. If the kitchen table has no casters buy a set and put them on. It is not a difficult matter and will save a deal of strength.

A Mountain of Glass.

A mineral discovery of unusual interest is reported from Kamouraska, in Canada. It is stated that an immense mountain, composed of silicates, otherwise known as vitrifiable stone of a purity certified by the provincial engineer to average ninety-eight per cent., has been found.

An Apple Without a Core.

A funny little story was heard on the street the other day. Two small children were standing on the sidewalk, one busily engaged in munching a rosy-checked apple, the other looking on with longing eyes.

THE MARKETS.

Table with market prices for various commodities like Bees, Milk, Wheat, etc. Columns include item name, price per unit, and location (e.g., NEW YORK, BUFFALO, BOSTON).

WHOLESALE HANGING.

Three Men and a Woman Execute an Awful Crime. Particulars have been received of the hanging at Spanishtown, Jamaica, of three men and a woman for the murder of John Aller, his wife, his mother and a man named Gofaden.

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