

**HAGGARD'S GREATEST**  
Romance, now revised in the twenty-second edition of THE WOLF IN THE GARDEN. A good guarantee of what is to come.

**FORTY-FOURTH YEAR.**  
**HER LIFE'S ROMANCE.**  
The Death of the Dowager Empress Augusta Recalls  
A STORY SWEET AND SAD.

**Her Young French Lover Shot Dead in a Duel Resulting From**  
**THEIR PLOT TO ELOPE TO AMERICA.**  
The Princess, Careless of Her Future, Accepts the Emperor's Hand

**AT THE INSTANCE OF HER PARENTS**  
The death of the ex-Empress Augusta yesterday recalls a romantic episode in her life. When a girl of 17 she fell in love with a young Frenchman. For a long time they carried on a secret correspondence, which was finally revealed by the discovery of a letter, placing an eloquent testimony to the lover who was shot dead in a duel and died clasping a handkerchief, the gift of his beloved.

**FOLLOWED BY KINGLY MOUEREES.**  
The remains of the Brazilian Empress were carried on the 26th to the city of Brasilia. The body of the late Empress was today deposited in its final resting place in the Pantheon here. The cortege, which was headed by the Emperor and Empress, and their two elder sons, Crown Prince Wilhelm and Prince Frederick, with the Grand Duke and Duchess of Baden, were with her when the dress mourning came. The Dowager Empress was 78 years old, having been born September 30, 1811.

**AT THE INSTANCE OF HER PARENTS**  
A member of the suite of one of the best known among our Princesses tells a romantic story concerning the dead Empress Augusta. And it is believed that it has never before been given to the public. Augusta was a Princess in the petty court of Weimar where she was hedged about with all the straight-laced etiquette the small German principalities afforded.

**THE ROMANCE OF HER LIFE.**  
When she was 17 she was a romantic girl, and had learned by heart the stories of the previous half century's galleries at the Court of Louis Quatorze, and so well had she read that she was prepared to fall in love with any man who might first appeal to her sense of beauty. But the rigid surveillance of her dual father and mother made acquaintance almost impossible. Before this romantic spirit had "lived long enough to die" a young French noble, son of a more or less long lineage, stopped at the Court of Weimar, in the progress of a pleasure jaunt from Auzanne. He remained for some weeks at the palace, and became the favorite of the Duke. He was accomplished, handsome and a dandy.

**HOW THE SECRET LEAKED OUT.**  
At a court ball shortly following his arrival the Frenchman met the Princess. They were permitted to become partners and indulged in mutual love at first sight. This love developed into indissoluble, which took the form of secret meetings in the palace grounds. The only people aware of these meetings were the Duke and Duchess, who were instructed to report to the Emperor. The Duke, whether through carelessness or spite, lost one of the letters intended to be read and it was picked up by the Duchess, mother to Augusta, before the maid could recover it. The letter was impassioned and eloquent, burning with the love-song of the smitten Parisian, and filled with all those pretty words that came in with the French romance. This was really well, for the two were young, but it led up to the suggestion of an elopement, implored a flight, pictured the ideal life of love on the pastoral lands of the new America.

**THE LOVER SHOT IN A DUEL.**  
The Duke and the Duchess were consumed with rage, but this discovery and poured forth the indignation in various volumes. So high did the feeling run in the court that the dual chamberlain challenged the Frenchman to a duel, and the lover fell mortally wounded. As he fell the Frenchman threw his hat and coverage and pressed against his breast was a handkerchief belonging to the Princess. Toward it his hand feebly moved, and he died at the moment he had seized the lace and was struggling to carry it to his lips.

**HER MARRIAGE TO THE EMPEROR.**  
For weeks the Princess sobbed and sadly moped about the palace until her parents were convinced that her sorrow must have some relief or she would become insane. They suggested a marriage with Prince William, of Prussia, and the Princess gave her assent, but she was heartbroken. There was so much misunderstanding between them on the subject of her marriage; it was an affair exclusively of the parents and an obedient but disconsolate youth and maiden. During their lifetime the Emperor William and the Empress Augusta maintained toward each other the most perfect and severe politeness; they treated him as if he were a foreigner, but they respected each other, but that was all.

**THE MEMORY OF EARLY LOVE.**  
They were not lovers and they could not tear from their heart the memories of their early love and disappointment. The Empress always preferred French books, ideas, dress, sentiment, and it was her favorite language. The influence of that unhappy love when she was adolescent, remained with her until her last moment, and she doubtless carried the secret recollections to her grave. Years have effaced remembrance of the affair, and it is safe to say that less than a dozen great persons know of it to-day.

It is a fact but little known that since the operation for cancer in the breast, which the

**BEATEN AND KICKED TO DEATH.**  
An Aged Man Killed by Italian Right to Sign the Peace.

New York, January 7.—Within the very shadow of the Sixth precinct station here today, a man named Salvo, an aged Italian, was beaten and kicked to death this afternoon by a crowd of Italian. His body now lies at the station house. It presents a horrible sight. All the old man's assailants have been captured, and are now being held by the police. The man, whose name is Salvo, was a native of Italy, and was a member of the Italian Society of this city. He was a well-to-do man, and was well known to the neighborhood. He was attacked by a crowd of Italian, and was beaten and kicked to death. His body was found at the station house, and was taken to the morgue.

**BEAUTIFUL EYES IN DEATH.**  
Absolute Peace and Contentment Upon Her Majesty's Classic Face.

BRISTOL, January 7.—The Empress passed peacefully surrounded by her relatives and her most devoted attendants, at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. Her death was attended by a beautiful classic face. Her eyes were closed, and her hands were clasped in prayer. Her death was a relief to her family, who had been suffering from her illness for some time. Her body was taken to the morgue, and will be buried in the Pantheon in Brasilia.

**LARGE CREW WITNESS THE OBSEQUES OF THE MARRIED WOMAN.**  
TRENTON, N. J., January 7.—The funeral service for Mrs. Myra Kniffin was held at 10 o'clock this morning at the residence of her father, Dr. Kniffin. A large number of people attended the service, including many of her relatives and friends. Her body was taken to the morgue, and will be buried in the cemetery.

**MRS. KNIFFIN LAID TO REST.**  
FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.  
COLUMBUS, O., January 7.—The secret of Mrs. Kniffin's death has been discovered. It was found that she had been suffering from a heart ailment, and had died as a result of a stroke. Her death was a great loss to her family, who were devotedly attached to her. Her body was taken to the morgue, and will be buried in the cemetery.

**A CITY BUILDING BURNED.**  
The Fleet Hall in the State of Maine Complete Wreck.  
LEWISTON, Me., January 7.—The Lewiston City Building caught fire in the elevator shaft at 10 o'clock this afternoon, and was completely burned. The fire spread rapidly, and the building was reduced to a pile of rubble. The cause of the fire is believed to have been a defective wire. The damage to the building was estimated at \$100,000.

**MORE MONTANA SENATORS.**  
The Democrats Take Their Turn at Electing a Governor.  
HELENA, Mont., January 7.—The Montana State and House Democrats are expected to meet here today to select a Governor. The Democrats are expected to win the election, and to elect a Governor who will be a member of their party. The election is expected to be held on the 15th of the month.

**COMPETITORS IN THE FIELD.**  
St. Louis Brewers Form an Association to Rival the English System.  
ST. LOUIS, January 7.—The American Brewer's Association has been organized here, as a competitor to the United Breweries of England. The new association is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system. The association is expected to be formed in the near future.

**M. HALSTEAD'S HOPES.**  
With Someone Beside Foster He Thinks Brice Might Be Deated.

**M'KINLEY'S BOOM FOR PRESIDENT.**  
Could Be Nearly Helped Along if Ex-Governor Foster Were Dropped.

**THE BRICE BUREAU'S LATEST FIGURES.**  
Lieutenant Governor Lammson Expecting to Be Elected Out To-Day.

**ABOUT TO BE FIRED OUT.**  
Lieutenant Governor Lammson's Official Letter to His Supporters.  
COLUMBUS, O., January 7.—As stated in our special dispatch of Saturday, the Democrats will make a desperate attempt to elect Brice, but they are not likely to succeed. The Brice Bureau is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system. The association is expected to be formed in the near future.

**A VICTORY OVER THE OIL TRUST.**  
George Rice Against Standard.  
NEW YORK, January 7.—George Rice is expected to win a victory over the Standard Oil Trust. Rice is a member of the Senate, and is expected to be a powerful one. The Standard Oil Trust is a powerful organization, and is expected to be a powerful one.

**IN FERROR OF THE WIRE.**  
The Bridge-Building Network, Lanes With Which the City is Being Served.  
ST. LOUIS, January 7.—The city is being served with a network of wires. The wires are being laid in a systematic manner, and are expected to be a powerful one. The network is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system.

**END OF A CHECKERED CAREER.**  
Fussell in New York of Sadie Kennedy.  
NEW YORK, January 7.—Sadie Kennedy, a well-known actress, is expected to end her career in New York. She is a member of the Broadway theatre, and is expected to be a powerful one. Her career is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system.

**BRICE'S BELIEF.**  
The Most-Millennium Candidate of an Election Not Later Than the Third Ballot.  
NEW YORK, January 7.—Brice is believed to be the most-millennium candidate of an election. He is a member of the Senate, and is expected to be a powerful one. His election is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system.

**RELIEF ON COMBINATIONS.**  
The Methods Adopted in the Maryland State System.  
ANNAPOLIS, Md., January 7.—The Senate is expected to adopt the methods of the Maryland State System. The methods are expected to be a powerful one, and are expected to rival the English system.

**FRIENDS OVER WINE.**  
Rival Aspirants for the World's Fair Bury the Hatchet for a While.

**ST. LOUIS SETS 'EM UP LIVELY.**  
Dallair Calls the Pittsburgh Surveyorship Fight a Cheat.

**POSTAL TELEGRAPH IS A POSSIBILITY.**  
Senator Callahan Thinks His Bill Has a Very Fair Chance to Pass.

**CHEAMPAIN FREE AS WATER.**  
Open-handed hospitality if the order of the hour, and champagne is flowing with great freedom. Possibly there may be some underlying motive in all this, for who knows what advantage may accrue?

**SOPE OF THE SCHEME.**  
The building is to be, according to the plan, a three-story structure, and is to be a powerful one. The scheme is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system.

**ANOTHER WARRANT FOR POWELL.**  
The Third On Thought to Be Proof Against An Attacks.  
NEW YORK, January 7.—An indictment is expected to be returned against Powell. He is a member of the Senate, and is expected to be a powerful one. His indictment is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system.

**GENERAL THOMAS EWING FURNISHES AN ARGUMENT IN THE NEGATIVE.**  
TOWSON, Md., January 7.—General Thomas Ewing is expected to furnish an argument in the negative. He is a member of the Senate, and is expected to be a powerful one. His argument is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system.

**SHOULD JURIES BE UNANIMOUS?**  
General Thomas Ewing Furnishes an Argument in the Negative.  
NEW YORK, January 7.—General Thomas Ewing is expected to furnish an argument in the negative. He is a member of the Senate, and is expected to be a powerful one. His argument is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system.

**THEIR FIRST STATE Dinner.**  
The Honorable Entertain in Honor of the Missouri and Cabinet.  
WASHINGTON, January 7.—The President is expected to entertain the Missouri and Cabinet in honor of their first state dinner. The dinner is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system.

**"COME FORTH."**  
A Version of the Bible of Christ, by Elizabeth W. Phelps and Mrs. W. H. Phelps.

**A TRAP-TEMPER.**  
That's What Mr. DeWolf Thinks the Pittsburgh Surveyorship Fight—Merely a Lot of Old Straw Threshed Over-Keenly.

**ANGRY WORKERS THREATEN CAMPBELL WITH BODILY HARM.**  
NORENUS' ELECTION IS DISPUTED.

**CUTS AT CALVINISM.**  
Speeches at Philadelphia Presbytery Favor Revision of the Confession.

**WARRANT FOR POWELL.**  
The Third On Thought to Be Proof Against An Attacks.

**GENERAL THOMAS EWING FURNISHES AN ARGUMENT IN THE NEGATIVE.**  
TOWSON, Md., January 7.—General Thomas Ewing is expected to furnish an argument in the negative. He is a member of the Senate, and is expected to be a powerful one. His argument is expected to be a powerful one, and is expected to rival the English system.

**SHOULD JURIES BE UNANIMOUS?**  
General Thomas Ewing Furnishes an Argument in the Negative.

**THEIR FIRST STATE Dinner.**  
The Honorable Entertain in Honor of the Missouri and Cabinet.

**WARRANT FOR POWELL.**  
The Third On Thought to Be Proof Against An Attacks.