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EXTINCTION OF RACES.

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"So flourishes and fades majestic man.

itation. In the animal kingdom we see putation of egotism :

with those unaccustomed to it, I never slow accretions of truth. Thus the man Virginia housewife-to ascend the throne ate the meat, but the the paws and tail I of literature or art of our day, not only of France. Alas, what other contrasts

with their subjugation their individuality the old farmer to invite him to diet. The as a nation was forever lost. The Celtic old farmer kept on cating. race never having possessed the enter- "What's the news up your way. quires considerable strength. After skinas it is very short and strong, this receeded by the latter, whose progress in ch?" ning the beaver, and stretching the skin the arts of civilization has gained for it "No, I be leve not." Presently a on a hoop of green willow, we pushed off. the arts of civilization has gamed for it thought struck the visitor. "Well yes,

his successors and eventually extinct. Dublin, Thursday Night.-Andrew The Indo-American race is perhaps five calves," protected by a glass in front, may be Carr, convicted of murdering his para- most familiar to us, as inhabiting our "Is that'so? Good gracious! what in seen-what? A portrait? A lock of mour, was executed this morning within own continent. Brave, vigilant and das thunder does the fifth calf do when the hair? No, neither the one nor the other, Richmond Bridewell. The drop allowed ing, fond of war and hunting, averse to others are sucking?" but only four bent pins, which are was fourteen feet from the trap, and when agricultural pursuits and all the wide I do. like a dute fool." wrought together in form of a stare. the bolt was withdrawn the jerk was so restrictions of civilized life,—they are. "Mary, put on another plate." The history of this singular ornament is great that the head was instantly served thought crue! and revengeful towards contained in the following communica- from the body, and the rope recoiled with their enemies, capable of noble and genforce to the trap. At the inquest which erous feelings. The Indian race repre- which presented themselves to me in The Count was some years ago, followed the Governor of the prison desents the Stoic school of modern times, the course of my travels, says Humbolt, in his own country, suspected of being posed that the Surgeon of the prison was being capable of wonderful endurance I confess there were few by which my

Peruvians at the time of the Spanish side of a roofe, on the mountains of Ven som of his family by police officers, con- A witness, after the drop fell, observ- conquest had attained a high state of ezuela, grows a tree with dry and leath veyed to a fortress in a distant part of ed the recoil of the rope, and believing civilization; and the arts and agriculture ry foliage, its large, woody roots scarcethe country, and thrown into a damp, some accident had occured went and look- flourished, and astronomy was so suc- ly penetrating into the ground For sevdark dungeon. Days, weeks, and months ed into the trap and saw the body lying cessfully studied that their mode of de- east months in the year its leaves are not passed away without his being brought in the yard beneath decapitated. The termining the length of the year was gibistened by a shower; its branches to trial. The unhappy man saw himself head was lying several feet from it, and then more accurate than that of the look as I they were dead and withdred; robbed of ever succor. In the stillness the blood was pouring in torrents from European nations. But they are fast but when the trunk is bored a bland and of death and darkness of the grave, he the head and trunk. The surgeon, Dr. disappearing before the superior race, nourishing milk flows from it. It is at felt not only strength failing him, but Minchen, deposed that he feared that the and of the thirty millions population sunrise that the vertetable function flows also his mind wandering. And unspeaks- rope was fastend too tight around the when Columbus first set foot upon the most freely. At that time the blacks ble anguish took hold upon him. He neck, and this gave greater force to the New World, only one million now ex- and natives are seen coming from all who feared not to appear before his judg fall. He would not attribute the accident ists. At this rate of decrease there will parts provided with large bowls to rees, now trembled before himself. Con- to the thinness of the rope, although the not a century hence be a single Indian ceive the milk, which grows yellow and

the double misery idleness and loneliness of the fastenings. There was no disease whom he has made "a little lower than carry them to their children. One inand thus preserve him from a terrible in- of the neck. The machinery was in per- the angels and crowned with glory and agines he sees the family of a shephera honor," and demonstrates the fact that who is distributing the milk to his flack. Four pins, which accidently happen- The chaplin deposed that the prisoner nations, no less than individuals, are ed to be in his coat, and fortuately es- complained of the tightness of the rope, subject to the vicissitudes of life and

#### COURTSHIP.

Two or three dears and two or three sweets Two or three tickers for two or three times Two or three love letters written in rhymes ; Two or three months keeping strict to th

rules : Can never fail in making a couple of fools

were become to her as precious relics ; £400, as a treasure of much greater

scattered. This fearful, yet beneficial

#### Boci's Corner.

#### WHO WILL CARE!

Who will care ! When we lie beneath the daisies Underneath the church-yard mold ; And the long grass o'er our faces Lays its fingers damp and cold ; When we sleep from care and sorrow, And the ills of earthly life, Sleep to know no sad to-morrow, With its bitterness and strife-Who will care ?

Who will care ! Who will come to weep above us, Lying, O, so white and still, Underneath the skies of summer, When all nature's pulses thril! To a new life, glad and tender, Full of beauty, rich and sweet, And all the world is clad in splendor, That the world shall e'er repeat-Who will care !

When Queen Autumd's flowers blossom, And she stoops in pity down, With a white flower for her bosom, Taken from her royal crown ! Who will come to kneel in pity By our long and narrow bed, When the wild winds sing their ditty In the grasses o'er our heap-

Who will care ! On the meadows far and wide, And she drops with rosy fingers. Bloom and leaf on every side, Who will come with tender yearning. To the graves of those they miss! Who will sigh for our returning To their presence and their kiss-Who will care ?

Who will care! Who will think of white hands lying On a still and silent breast, Nevermore to dream of sighing. Evermore to know of rest ? Who will care? No one can tell us, But if rest and peace befall, Will it matter if they miss us, Or they miss us not at all? Who will care

## Miscellaneous Reading.

#### SINGULAR ORNAMENT.

A brooch worn by the Countess of K --- has recently been the subject of conversation in an eminent company of A Fourteen Feet Fall from the Scaffold--- lost his nationality, like other peoples be- worth mentioning." polished nobility who are now exiles in Paris. Encircled by twenty brillants upon a dark blue ground lapislazuli ; and

too much inclined to politics, and was responsible for the length of the rope and suffering. tion or further inquiry torn from the bo- own opinion.

earth, which alone was the floor of his accident. gloomy dungeon, and then employed himself in seeking for them in the darkness. When after a tiresome search, he succeeded in finding them he threw there down anew; and so, again and again; did down anew; and so, again and again; did ice cream freezer.

Two or three dears and two or three sweets; Two or three balls and two or three treats; Two or three outles how much they endure; Two or three outles how much they endure; Two or three soft speeches made by the way ice cream freezer. he renew his voluntary task. All the ice cream freezer. day long, sitting lying, or kneeling, he 'A batchelor, a man who neglects groped about with his hand until he found his opportunity to make some woman he pine which he had intentionally miserable.

the second of

# recreation continued for six years. Then at last. a great political event opened suddenly the doors of his prison. The

Count had just scattered his pins, but he would not leave his cell without taking with him his little instruments of his own preservation from despair and madness. He soon found them, for now the clear bright light of day beamed in through the doorway of his dungeon. As the Count related this sad story to the Countess; she seized the pins with holy value, she wears them on her bosom. THE BEAVER.

ticed eye of the antiquary fails to detect indeed freely remarked that her mother A stroll along the banks of the small the date of its origin or decay. Prehis- was more ambitious than herself; that rivers revealed many fresh beaver tracks, toric research gives evidence of an ex- the former designed for her some great, The beaver, when forced to leave his tinct civilization in countries occupied alliance, while Eugenie herself appeared house by the Spring freshets, which fill now by nations in the savage and semi- a model of simple sincerity-a girl who it with water, seeks his living along the barbarous states. Thus, on the American would choose to consult her heart in any banks of the small river, until the waters continent, the Mississippi valley bears matrimonial affair. Her sister had just subside. He is a gregarious and playful evidence of a civilication long since dead, married the Duke of Alba and Berwick. animal, fond of gymnastics for their own and in the british Isles we see Druidical a lineal descendant of James II of English sake. When he finds a steep, smooth remains, -monuments reared by that semi- land ; and the worthy mother, Donnie mud-bank, he usually amuses himself by barbarbous nation, the Celts; and in Maria, no doubt designed at least an equal crawling up and then sliding off into the many parts of Europe exist the works of matrimonial destiny for the more beautiwater, repeating the process many times, their neighbors, the Teutous. That the ful coher daughters. But the heart is apparently enjoying the fun as much as nations of antiquity had attained a high, not always to be controlled, even in the boys do coasting. He is nocturnal in his degree of civilization thousands of years most aristocratic life, or to yield to its habits, and very timid. Taking the small before the Christian era, their monuments exactions of convenience. Eugenie lost canoe, Kurilla paddled patiently up and yet standing attest. The massive archibers to a fine-looking bloude Virginian. down, making as little noise as possible, tecture of Egyptian temples was followed young William C. Bives, sent of the and scanning the water near the banks by the graceful structures of the refined American minister. They were engaged for the beaver's nose This is the only and philosophic Greeks; and each post to be married; but Ahat Judy Bires, a part visible, the rest being below the sur- sessed an artistic merit that attracts the Virginia matron, very decided said anguface. A crack, followed by a shout, told art students of the present day. The lar in her scruples, interferred and broke me that my Scotch rifle had done its work, influence of the works of the ancients off the match; the Countess was too and Knrilla soon appeared in triumph, enters largely into the formation of mod- "fast" for her old "firginia views of social bearing a small beaver. The flesh of ern creations of art and literature, while sobriety. The woman for whom future this animal is to most persons disagree. science continues more independly pro- had reserved so much escaped the comable. A slight odor and flavor which ac- gressive, owing to its dependence upon paratisely hunthle which that her heart company it frequently produces nausea the constant obervation of man in its had decided upon-the destiny of a quiet

found very good. The former are cov. endeavors to excel men of his own age may yet remain for her ! If an event ered with black skin, with only a hair in the production of his works, but takes had been ordered differently; if a pronear the junction with the arm or leg; for his model some genius of antiquity spective mother-in-haw had proved comwhen thoroughly boiled they resemble pig's feet. The tail is composed of mus-When the Spring time's glad smile lingers cular fibre containing a large amount of The Celtic race compose a modern peo- has played to the world the charms of peculiarly sweet fat in interstices. The ple which the present age brings under another Cleopatra, might at this moment skin which covers the tail has the appearance of scales, but there are no real scales.

Classic writers of two thousbe a quiet country matron living in a sand years ago inform us that they were farm-house near Cobbian depot, country The skin readily peels off if scorched in masters of all Europe at that time. They of Albemarie and State of Virginia the fire, and the tail when boiled is a delicious morsel. The muscles and inner peculiarly bold and daring; for Aristotle skin are reduced by boiling, to a kind of describes them "as dreading neither A good story is told of a couple of jelly, and the whole is so rich that one earthquakes nor inundations; as rushing farmers who lived a few miles apart cannot eat much of it. The castoreum armed into the waves; as plunging their One day one called on the other han which is used in medicine, is contained newborn infants into cold water or clothin two glands that open near the tail. ing in scanty garments." But they were son called upon, by the way, was a rath-Their use is not clearly understood, but necessarily compelled to bend to the tide er penurious old fellow. He was sented Their use is not clearly understood, but is probably similar to that of musk glands of civilization; the Roman power, though at the table, enjoying his dinner. The long finding them formidable adversaries, visitor drevi to the stove, looking very in the musk-rat and the musk-deer. A favorite amusement among the Kutchin Indians consist in taking the humerus in the hands and endeavoring to break it;

### -Dall's Alaska. The Criminal's Head Jerked Off.

[From the London News.]

scious of his danger, he endeavored to head was as cleanly severed as if by a knife, upon the continent." find something to relieve himself from but he rather attributed it to the tightness And so the Creator deals with man their vessels on the spot, while others fect working order.

caped the notice of his jailor. Those saying, "Will you strangle or choke me death, - Educational Gazette. were to be the means of deliverance to before my time?" The jury returned a his spirit. He threw the pins upon the verdict that the mishap was the result of

RATES OF ADVERTISING

Half column .....

EUGENIE'S ROMANCE.

WHAT SHE MISSED AND WON

A correspondent of the Lynchburg That races rise up, reach the height Virginian closes a recent letter in refirof power, and gradually decay, all his ence to the Imperial family of France tory bears testimony. The mightiest with the following very romantic story races of antiquity arose to the highest of the Empress, hitherto unpublished, but attainment in civilization, and to the vast for the exact truth of which he can youch, acquisitions of territory; but their annals and the enriosity of which is such that record no exception to this decree of lim- he relates it even at the risk of some init

this law in full exercise. In the geologic In 1851 the uncle of the writer resided eagerness. These crooked yellow brass periods the simplest forms of the animal as American Minister at Parls, with a pins, which during six fearful years, had and vegetable world were gradually re- large family around him. Ah this thrib been scattered and gathered alternately, placed by other and higher organizations appeared in society there Engenie Marie until the lofty types which exist in the de Guzman, Countess of Montijo; a loveand now set in a frame of brilliants, present age were formed. In many parts ly person and an aristocratic name securof the world are found evidences of civ- ing her brilliant conquests in that society. ilization which has run its course to ex- and constituting her one of the most tinction, and in whose remains the prac- famous ladies in Paris. It was thought, has adorned the throne of France, and

# AN INVESTITION TO DINNER.

became at length their conquerors, and wishfully towards the table, expecting

on the globe. The Hibemian having friends, I did hear out item of news that's fore, is destined to become mixed with "Ha! what is that."

"Neighbor Jones has a cow that has

"Why he stards and looks on inst an

imagination was so powerfully affected consequently one night, without examina- used. It was used against the Governor's Says a writer: "The Mexicans and as by the cow free. On the purched thickens at its surface. Some empty A FEW days since a fortune-teller was

standing in front of St. Joseph's market. Rue Montmartre, and driving a good business with the cooks. While he was dealing with the cards which were to reveal destiny, a man asked him for le grand jen. The fortune-teller promised him, for twelve soms, honor fortune, long life, good health, a faithful loving, good humored wife. He asked the fortune-teller : "Can't you tell your own fortune !" "Oh! I never read my own fortune." The distormer said: "Then I'll tell it

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