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The Rattle of the Bones.

How many bones in the human face? Fourteen, when they're all in place.

and a large house, and a fine lady that used sometimes to kiss her, and who, one night, she was told by her father, had died and was buried away for ever more.

other traveler in his arms, and a troubled look had gathered on his brow. "Take that drunken fellow back to the village, Abe," he said, when Jack Price and his vehicle were once more in running order.

It is proposed to build in certain districts on the western frontier of Kansas churches made of sods. A few such already exist. The walls are of sods, the roofs are covered with sods, and the floors are of earth.

"Mother, have we any meal this day?" Mr. Redpath, the New York Tribune correspondent sent to Ireland to inquire into the condition of the famine-stricken people, has received many letters from parish priests detailing a deplorable state of affairs.

A weird fancy. If the dead, lying under the grasses, Unseen linger near the belfry, Having knowledge and sense of what passes In the hearts and homes they leave left, What tear-drops, than sun-waters saltier, Must fall when they see all the strife— When they see how we fall, how we falter, How we miss in the duties of life.

An Unexpected Meeting.

It was a small, one-story frame structure, presenting some of the characteristics of a cabin and cottage, built only a little way in from the road, and approached from it by a narrow wooden bridge, under which meandered, in temperate seasons, a gentle stream, but which, in the fervid vigor of the summer and the rigor of the winter, was dry and silent.

in or about this hour, Abe Gilman generally instigated himself into the presence of May, and beguiled his evenings in the company of her and her father. George Sefton had some books which greatly interested him, especially when read to him by the owner or his daughter, and he occasionally borrowed one, though frequently puzzled by some of the words; for Abe was not much of a scholar, but he had a taste for literature, and for May's society, which was a sort of education in itself.

Germany, with a population of 42,000,000 has 60,000 schools and an attendance of 6,000,000 pupils; Great Britain and Ireland, with a population of 34,000,000 has 58,000 schools and 3,000,000 pupils; Austria-Hungary, with a population of 37,000,000, has 30,000 schools and 3,000,000 pupils; France, with a population of 37,000,000, has 71,000 schools and 4,700,000 pupils; Spain, with a population of 17,000,000, has 20,000 schools and 1,600,000 pupils; Italy, with a population of 28,000,000, has 47,000 schools and 1,900,000 pupils; and Russia, with a population of 74,000,000, has 32,000 schools and 1,100,000 pupils.

Glucose manufacture is making an exciting in the maize districts of the West, the factory at Buffalo and its remarkable success being the prime stimulant. Half a dozen establishments have been planted within a month in Indiana, Illinois and Iowa. Cyrus McCormick and others have, it is said, put \$500,000 into one at Chicago. It is to have a capacity of 20,000 bushels a day, which is the equivalent of 300 tons of sugar.

The Chinese Theater. In the north of China every town and every large village boasts of its permanent theater, while the inhabitants of other villages, too small to be so fortunate, find little difficulty in extemporizing theaters of mat and bamboo on any chance arrival of an itinerant troop of actors.

ITEMS OF INTEREST. M. de Lesseps never indulges in alcoholic beverages. The number of families living in New York city is 213,467. A hoarse shoo never brings good luck to a foraging hen.—Wheeler Leader.