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Blessings on the hand of woman ! Angels guard its strength and grace. In the palace, cottage, hovel-Oh. no matter where the place ! Would that never storms assa Rainbows ever gently curied; For the hand that rocks the cradle is the hand that rocks the world

infancy's the tender fountain . Bowers may with beauty grow-Mothers first to guide the streamlet, From their soul's unresting flow-Grow on for the good or evil, Sunshine streamed or darkness hurled For the hand that rocks the cradle Is the hand that rocks the world.

Woman I how divine your mission. Here upon your natal sod Keep, oh keep the young heart open Always to the breath of God ! All true trophies of the ages Are from mother-love impearied : For the hand that rocks the cradi Is the hand that rocks the world.

messions on the hand of woman' Fathers, sons and daughters cry; And the sacred song is mingled With the worship in the sky; Mingles where no tempests darker Rainbows evermore are hurled For the hand that rocks the cradle s the hand that rocks the world.

MARY SMITH.

"A lecture, eh ?" said Deacon Hobson, changing the tobacco leisurely from one check to the other, as he stood won't be cheated! and so you may tell into long strips. Eggs, however are much there and rear their families. They've entranced before the bullet in board her, landlord."

of the 'Stub Mountain Lyceum." "And upon the 'Rights of women,' Well I to hear it, and I shouldn't wonder if Jemimy Ann set up her dander, she'd I know of!" go into the new idee. And p'raps it's a good thing to stir us coun'ry folks up a rousin' good lecture once in a while, Tickets 25 cents. Wal, I'll think about

"A lecture ?" said Dr. Briggs, the newly fledged M. D., who had just hung out his glittering blue and gold sign; "and respecting women's rights? ject, but a new comer like myself must lawyer. I'll have up the constable. I'llshow himself in public, and there are so few opportunities in Stub Mountain. Upon the whole I think I will take a ticket."

"Women's rights?" said old Mrs. Mix who was always tormenting the select rusty musket from the iron hook where election day, and who went out togather defy the whole party then and there, her own hay in harvest time, with a when a merciful providence interfored man's boots and rather more than a in his behalf. The depot hackman man's boots and france more than a rumbled up to the door and out stepped Leather trousers, adorned with silver but the industry in proper shape. With the industry in proper shape. With on't! The subject needs agitation in a a tall pretty woman, with deep blue place like this, where there's wus than eyes and bronze brown hair, a French costs me a whole week's butter mo- composed manner

neyf stoles and from

HE HAND THAT ROCKS THE WORLD. | with a little grimace at the words, as if she. "But I don't know what the public they had a bitter taste. will say?" "She ain't arriv' yet," said the land-"Henceforward," said Captain Lacy "I am to be your public, and my verdict "I do not intend to allow this outrage is entirely in your favor." on public taste," said the lady, vehem So there was no lecture in the Mounmently. "Marm!" said the landlord. man went home, where he found his "I am Miss Smith's mother!" wife and mother-in-law in a great rage; "Be you!" gasped mine host. the starched female proceed to the near-"And here I set un'il she presents est camp meeting, and the curly ballet aerself," said Mrs. Smith, depositing singer composed a new song, called herself on the nearest chair, and clasp- "Love's Triumph" founded on the ining both hands firmly over the umbrella eident from real life which had just handle transpired. The landlord looked feebly at her, and "After all," said the bride, "Smith is almost within the same second, in bur- an awkward name. And I'm glad I've ried a short, overdressed lady, with changed it to Lacy. curls, jewelry, bangles and a scarlet shawl, while a shabby black silk skirt Indians in Mexico. trailed its flounces over the dusty floor.

> "Landlord," said she take down thos dian is generally very simple. Indian corn is the principal food in the temperate posters at once." "What for, marm?" cried the poor old zone, while the "It's swindling!" said the curly fair nanas grow without any exertion on the got so deep that we did'nt get the Win-

> one: "downright swindling! We are part of the consumer, and we generally ter account settled until way along in partners, and Miss Smith is to lecture find both fruits growing in abundance around the Indian huts. Next to maize nowhere unless I sing ballads in the in-

liked, and we seldom find a hut without chickens. Tortillas, a kind of hoe cake, "Be I goin' crazy?" he said, "or are served on holidays or consumed in the the whole varsal world agee? Miss Smlth swan. Mis' Hobson, she'll be a waitin' an't here, nor Mary Smith ain't nor fruits in the market. The favorite bever-is and a literary pare to either scale the assayer to death is two daily papers and a literary pared to either scale the assayer to death or spatter his quivering flesh all over Pole Mrs. Smith, nor none of the Smiths, as age is pulque, an extract of the agave magazine. plant. Pulque, taken in moderate portions, is wholesome; but taken in large "I never hea quantities it is rather intoxicating. On the stranger."

banana is caten by

"Landlord!" said the curly lady, screw ing up her thin lips. "you are in a concolidays we find many Indians druck, spiracy against me!" against me!" The landlord uttered a groan.

"I wish to goodness I had never heard of the whole thing," said he. "But if there's law and justice in thi

land, I'll have my rights!" screamed the gards intoxication not as a vice but as the ne plus ultra of all earthly enjoyments. I cannot say that I approve of the sub-lady. "I'll telegraph to Boston to a re plus ultra of all earthly enjoyments. Yet the authorities seen not always to share the redskin's singular views, as the irunkards are often arrested and locked The landlord was vaguely consider-

As simple as his manuer of living is the ing in his own mind whether it was best to go under the counter, escape by the ally cotton or leather, and are manufac back window, or seize his grandfather's tured by the wearers themselves. The who was always tormenting the select instruments the select in the men wear wide trousers, men for the privilege of franchise on it hung above the chimney piece, and cotton. The men wear wide trousers, which seldom reach below the knee, and

rooms ready? entrance of the head and arms. An Inhere to-night in the lyceum."

"It's some mistake," said Miss Smith

The three discontented spirits vanish-

"I believe so," said that worthy, se

"Why shouldn't I?" cross questioned

"You quarreled with me," said Mary

"I beg pardon," said the young offi-

"Do you really care?" said Mary Smith

"I care more than you will ever know

he answered fervently. "Little Polly,

I love you! And as for women's rights,

you shall have every right you wish, if

only you'll give up this lecturing busi-

"Because I don't like it, Polly."

er, "you quarreled with me."

elting into softness.

Assessment No 26. had to lock up his mortar and flux in his trunk and sleep with his crucibles, or his reputation as an assayist would been Not long ago a couple of mining men,

by-word and a stench to the nostrils of the both strangers to each other, met in the pilgrim with the plug hat, and the tender reading room of the Walker House, foot would say "fie upon him," and spi Harley, Idaho. The conversation tur- upon him and smite him on the bugle. tain lyceum that night, and the stout ned on the mineral developments of the On top of all this an injurious report got West, and presently one of the men re- out over the camp, reflecting upon the marked, "If you want to see mining on morality of Dr. Farrar. Society was in a a big scale, just go to Southern Utah." crude state and most every stove-pipe in

"How big?" said the other quietly. that it wouldn't draw, and there was a gen-"Why, the Big Hole mine that I am eral feeling of insecurity. Most everyone said that unless steps connected with has the deepest shaft and the biggest workings in the world." were taken to quiet things a little before long, there would be music by the entire "How deep?" said the little man.

"You can't measure it, because if we It was generally decided that the vigistopped work long enough to see how lanters would have to begin on Dr. Farrar. deep the shaft was it would materially The town was getting a bad reputation outside, and something must be done. The interfere with the bullion produced. We committee, however, was not in working dropped a line once and reeled it out order, as a part of the number had gone untill it broke with its own weight. over toward Last Chance on a placer stam-When a boy falls down that shaft he pede, and half a dozen more were in Laramie on district court business. However, The way of living of the Mexican In- strikes the bottom a grandfather." it was decided that two members of the "Must have a big pay roll?"

c mmittee, whom we will call Trustworthy were del "We used to send the money down to Kersikes and "The Aunihilator" who inhabit the hot zone. Maize and ba. the hands in cages untill the workmen egated to arm themselves and drive Dr. living." But to the ancient Egyptian Farrar out of the town or inform hum that they would shoot hun on sight.

Great care was used to prevent Dr. Farthe Spring. So we started a bank and ration getting any premati to notice of this and bananas, frijoles (beans) are cherished telegraphed the money orders. That arrangement, because those who knew his termissions. It's share and share alike in the profits and in expenses, and I and only that which is dried and cut up on the cages. The miners live down gramme he would skip the camp, and the amusement would have to be postopned. got an underground city bigger'n Salt It was therefore decided that Trust wor

Lake, with a regular charter and munci- thy Kersikes and "The Anihilator" should town after the Indian has disposed of his pal elections twice a year. They pub- go down to the assay office armed and pre- high above the floods, were in strong Cat avenue. "I never heard of the magazine," said

About opposite the palatial dugout occupied by Calamity, the avengers met Dr. Farrar. He had just been down to Sam Wood's

"Of course not, it would be a year, after having invested their last cent in the old when it got to you. Besides they hold a fair every year and have horse was known as Vinegar Hill Sheep Dip. favorite beverage. In former times it was the exclusive right of the aristocracy to get intoxicated. In these days of mod- races every Saturday. Finest four mile It was way billed over the Union Pacific

ern progress the privilege is shared by the vulgar as well. The common Indian re-gards intoxication not as a vice but as the No mud, no dust, always in the same give the fuglity a The avengers stood back a moment i give the fugitive a chance to escape if he condition. Perfect paradise for sports. wanted to, but he didn't avail himself of What do you think of that for a mine?" it. He seemed to court death.

Here the stranger who was a Californian, threw his leg carelessly over the arm of a chair, and lighting a fresh ci-Indian's clothing. The materials are usu. gar, replied in deep, earnest tones: Then he pulled it on the Annihilator and

shirt if such is worn, is roughly made of When your mine plays out you have a lot of machinery on your hands, and six-shooters he stowed away in the bust of lent among the Egyptians and read from which are fastened with a sash in the where are you? You mine after primi- his pantaloons, and the double-barreled the hieroglyphics by Maspero, furnish same manner as the trausers worn by the twe methods, like all new countries. It shot gun he broke over a pine log and inhabitants of the eastern countries. takes experience and head work to tackle threw it up on a wood shed.

The Egyptian Idea of Immortality.

In Egypt, from the carliest time, the tomb was of the greatest significance for sculpture. Of temple ruins on the the first and eleventh dynasties, there

way.

is scarcely a trace. How vivid the witness borne to the sepulchral art on the plains of Memphis the capital of old town had been bored so full of bullet-holes est Egypt! Along the margin of the with a hidden population of statues, sentineled by those stupendous royal Every particle of filling, scraping, or tombs, the Pyramids. Where else have

> such preparations been made for the campo santo of the aucient empire? Though mingled with much that was naive and material, how vivid were the conceptions of that ancient people con-

this life but an episode in an eternal existence. Death to them was the real life only evil spirits being spoken of as dead.

in some mysterious way dependent for new floor. its contented existence upon the preservation of the body; hence, the importance of embalming, the care taken to

keep the body as lifelike as possible and secure from harm during the long period of the soul's probation. The "cter nal dwellings " hewn in the solid rock,

contrast to the abodes of the living, built within reach of the swelling Nile, and of which scarcely a vestige remains,

The massive chamber of this tomb where lies the mummy pictureless, and its entrance is closed by solid ma-

sonry. From it a shaft leads up, which was at many places thirty meters deep and was filled with a dense mass of earth and stone, making more inviolate the mummy's rest. Over the concealed

entrance of this shaft there rises that ever essential part of the tomb, the sacred chapel of equally solid construc-

shot gun out of his hands like a flash. chapel, are found many statues walled to waste. The stems and ribs of tobacco up. These are usually twenty or more Gilt Edge bloss om rock, Dr. Farrar vent with great diversity. To what purpose The cuttings and odd scraps are sent through the garments of the avengers. The are they here? Singular beliefs, prevaus the key to this problem. An immor-

"Mary Smith," said she to the land-"Mary Smith," said she to the land-boles being made in the garment for the -When President Garfield was sick Minister Lowell had to read and an man's proper being, that it was of the rops greatest importance to provide it with In Paris the gathering of cigar stump an average of 300 telegrams a day. dian wearing this single shirt reminds a lieve and I run it up to the handle with get a repeating hoe handle and clean out the entire vigilance committee. Dector Farrar said he had never been a material and imperishable body which is a recognized industry, and in the passed her thirty-seventh birthday. looked upon as a quarrelsome or deadly it should occupy after death, sharing Place Maubert there is a regular market Maud, h r youngest child, is twelve, man at all; he was just a plain, every-day with the mummy the scenrity of the for them. -International skating contests are style of citizen without any consuming "eternal dwelling." It was believed The 'tip,' or head of the eigar, which among the sports which, this winter, are "It might be pretty deep if I allowed ambition to fill the world with funetals and that the shade ka could come out of the American bites off and throws away counted upon in England, Austria the men to rush torward and overdo the hang a sable pall of mourning over the this statue and perambulate among men is carefully preserved in Europe, and in Holland. and swearin' sne's been swindled, and with colored ribbons and glass pearls. A the thing, but at present there is no land, but if the vigilance committee want--An enterprising microscope man is ed to make an example of him and would in true ghostly fashion, returning to it some localities is the basis of a vast or-showing Cleveland people drawings of give him notice enough so that he could at will. This stony body for the dead ganized charity. Its use for this purpose 192 different living creatures found in arm himself with an old salt bag fuil of man's ka was naturally made in his ex- dates back only a couple of decades. A the city water. "No, no hoistings works-not if I "No, no hoistings works-not if I convalescent eggs and an old pick handle, know it. You can fool away a good deal he would be willing to abide the result." stating his name and qualities. But a much valuable tobacco was wasted by book covers with gold and silver thread, The committee turned in silent scorn -A New campaign in favor of an single statue might perish and future the rejection of this cigar tip, conceived "How in thunder do you run your and left him, and the disagreeable subject glisEnhmanmarrying his decased wife's happiness be thus forfeited. Hence the notion that if a general collection of ister is about to open on an increased was never broached again afterward. that most unique feature of Egyptian the tips could be unde, and the material scale in England. Telephones statuary, the multiplication of the porput to use, a handsome revenue would -Mr. James C. Flood distributed esult. After awhile "spitzeleerine" or tip tions in San Francisco, Christmas morntraits of the deceased in his tomb. result. Several continental observers appear to "Quite a different sort of person from form the Indian's bed, on which he rests my partner," said the lady with the red his tired limbs, while his brother in the the most competent artists on the coast the most competent artists on the coast competend with a wire straight and the sounds the most competent artists on the coast competend with a wire straight art to be a straight art to societies, were organized in all parts of ing, Protestants and Catholics being The Way Plate Glass is Made of Germany, and a regular system of treated impartially. far East is kneeling on a mat formed ex- Now, when we have a good map of the tween the roofs of two houses and -Ex-Gov. I'nomas A. Hendricks de-To cast roll, polish, and burnish plate collections was devised. Every member clines all invitations to lecture this winactly like his, his face turned to Mecca and lower workings we don't need any works nected with the water or gas pipes. On actly like his, ins lace tarlet to alceea and lower workings we don't need any works nected with the water or gas pipes. On effering his morning prayer to Allah, the to speak of. We photograph the Savage the occurrence of lightning more especialruler of the rising sun. The women wear a blue or white cotton shirt and a blanket frequently interwoven with beautiful araconstruction, and a "plant" that is cost- from his friends, and boxes were placed professional labors, -A bust of William Gilmore Simms pouring of liquid glass from the furnace upon the cast iron plates, and the sub-of the year were sold to snuff or smoking besques, is tied around the hip. In the entirely new view-and call it by our distance of the latter. Even when no hot regions the Indian women generally hot regions the Indian women generally wear no shirt at all, but only the blanket in Virginia at \$60 a month to superinsequent rolling are processes compara- tobacco manufactarers. The system in of Columbia, S. C. - The Associate Justices of the Su or blue petticoat. The hair is hanging down the back or is twisted into queues, letters and I stay in my office in San preme Court will welome their new coldown the back or is twisted into queues, whose ends are tied to the sash that holds that in my office in Sau that of a Swedish match rubbed on the erust dough performs an operation very many are today clothed and fed through dinners in Washington. league, Judge Gray, with a round of the pett coat. Both sexes wear rosaries, Francisco and levy the assessments box. The telephone affords an easy method similar to this stage of plate glass ma- this simple agency. -The capital invested in iron indus on which a cross or an image of some every 60 days; that's as often as the law of studying the velocity of transmission saint is fastened around their necks and allows. I am the President, Board of and other features of this electrical influ The 'tip' collecting plan has been tri s in the United States duringt he last king. It is succeeding processes of grinding and polishing and final burn- adopted in England, where the proceeds ten years has increased by as much as hanging down on the breast. The Indian women of Tehuantepec wear necklaces of Trustees, Secretary, Treasurer and every-ed s'milarly for some time past, thought to ishing that require the time and costly are given to the hospitals, and in Den nearly ninety per cent, small gold coins and are as proud of their thing-more especially the Treasurer. amplify the sounds, and did so, by placing treasure as the Bedouin maiden is of Of course I draw a salary for all the offices two microscopes on the plate of the rehers. The Indian's dwelling place is primitive and has the appearance of an immense burd cage, as it is usually constructed of an immense burd cage is a constructed of an immense immense is a ble to hear the least sound at a burd cage is a constructed of a bu bird cage, as it is usually constructed of gains to pay of the matter by meetal interview of the agave. Windows are ploying any hands he saves enough to react us value of new metre or more metre or more metre or more from that is \$200,000 a year and never a pick trate with the gass is commented in a bed of plaster of Paris and the machine started. Bearrailway. On that revolving platform probably that the tips thrown away in that twenty-seven exhibitors are going wanting, and the fresh air may easily pen-etrate into the lightly constructed edifice, whose door is generally constructed edifice, whoul latch or lock. In the mountain districts the Indian constructs his house of wood, and it resembles exactly the block-house in Canada or the far West. The interior of these huts consilts generally of but one room, whose only decoration is a sume to find an image of one of the Holy Yugins, generally that of the With soon as a man drops on the game he dies soon as a man drops on the game he dies telephone, but act on the gaivanometer strongly. At Tortosa the very dry west times. The final polishing is done by a miller out, as she will crawl through last eleven months, as compared with is often decorated with martyrs and saints. The table if such a luxurious piece of furnirouge, and maintaining a constant back and forward motion, and also lateral movement over the surface of the crys-tal. All this requires the exsistance of the resistance of the reading maner will answer Bar ture exists, is generally covered with pret- themselves. As long as people are born Telluric or earth currents act both on the n Nevada and California my mine will galvanometer and on the telephone; they are distinguished from atmospheric cur-rents by the regularity and continuity of tal. All this requires the assistance of tar roofing paper will answer. Buy chevalier of the Legion of Honor. "But," said the Utah man, "may style their action, during pretty long intervals. a large force of men, many of them your paper in rolls; cut in sections long_ ____John M. Starin, of New York, who skilled laborers. After going through enough to cover the inside, the bottom now has an income of \$100,000 a year, Ferrets. these different grindings and polishings and the sides and lap over on the top of began lite selling horse liniment. the plate that measures an incli in thick- the box. All of the inside of the box The Emperor of Brazil has sent an The full-grown ferret is about fourteen ness is only three quarters of 'an iach must be covered, and on the inside of honorary canon of the Imperial Chapel early hour. The kitchen utensils are the metate is a ment. It keeps the country as busy as smooth stone about eighteen inches long, and serves to grind the Indian corn and telegraph office to order absessment No. thick, has lost all its roughness, and is this again, place wrapping paper, to all the way from Rio Janeiro to Paris, ready for the show-window of the pur- prevent the contact of nice clothing with orders to see them study s grant the petroleum paper. Use a large box Year's presents. -no matter about its being very tight -In the royal hunt, which occurs chaser. as a domesticated animalt the ferret is far from docile, and never shows an affection A Forty Thousand Ton Blast. as the paper will cover the holes-and every winter near Berlin, 300 head of for those who care for it. The natural They Let Him Stay. A great blast which has been prepar-ing for nearly a year at the limestone it full. Bring the paper up which has fell to the German Emperor and thirtyinstinct of the animal is so strong that it In the early history of Cummins City, does not need to be trained to attack its when Calamity and Lengthy Johnson and prey, though practice improves the ani quarry of the Giendon Iron Company, been hanging over the sides of the box, five to the King of Saxony. Tapeworm Charlie were the bon-ton of the mal in its work, the chief gain being in new gold camp, there was a man whom allowing themselves to be caught. forty thousand tons of rock were dis- miller cannot enter without crawing Fairville, Chester county, claims that bdged. Four tunnels, each fifty feet over the petroleum paper, which she he has the char that Daniel De Foe sat long, were run into the hillside, and at will never do. Nail on the cover of yo ir in while he wrote Robinson Crusoe. The long, were run into the hillside, and at their end two chambers were built at right angles, each eight feet long. Ten It is much chamber and to be average of the possession of Mrs. Trim-ble, who is a descendant of De Foe. electric current was sent along the wire, porate like camphor, and the carbolic the Princess Beatrice can hardly be the face of the rock, for a distance of acid in it seems to act like an antiseptic equalled. It contains a part of that Alen-250 feet and a height of 25 feet, was on the animal fiber of the wool, to preblown out like a high wave, and the serve and make it healthful. assay once, and sold his gopher note on Virginis Hill the next day on an assay of \$1,528 to the ton. After a while Dr. Farrar found that he Mai is now bred and cared for by map

NEWS IN BRIEF

Few people appreciate the value of -Picture galleries are increasing in number in London. little and apparently insignificant things. In some foreign countries the litter of Nile from that hoarisst past between domestic animals is carefully collected English statutes in 1711. -Penny-post is first mentioned in

and sold to farmers. Not a few people -A \$50,000 union depot is the prosmake a living gathering fertilizers in this

pective boast of Keokuk. -Pittsburg shipped 3,988,060 bush

els of coat in one day recently. -Mills for draining water from lands In the shops of jewelers and othe where articles are manufactured of gold desert stretches 'be vast Necropolis, and silver, great care is taken to prewere first used in Holland in 1408. -The iron stairways in the new capi vent the waste of the precious metal. tol at Des Moines will cost \$27,894.

-The Duke of Devonshire and the grinding is preserved for the assayer. Earl of Leicester are fond of skating. The wheels upon which gold and silver final rest of the dead as in this great have been polished, when worn out, Progress, will be continued by his son. are burned, and the fire develops par--At the end of the fourth century ticles of the precious metals which incineration had fallen into general dis could not be seen by the paked eye. use.

-Quarantine originated in the Board Even the sweepings, after great care cerning the future world! They believed has been taken to pick up every bit of of Health of Venice in the fourteenth century.

metal that may have fallen on the floar, -An English syndicate has invested are preserved, and in New York City in fifty thousand acres of coal land in sell for \$70 a barrel. It is estimated Ohio,

The coffin was called the "chest of the that when a jewder's shop is to be re--John Quiney Adams was in the newed the dirt accumulated in the cre- habit of reading the Bible through every the immortal part, even after death, wa views will more than pay the cost of the year.

-One Key West gardener expects to send North the tomatoes from 12,000 It is said that the receipts from the plants

sale of the refuse of starch mills, which -Large numbers of polled Aberdeen is used by farmers as feed for hogs and cattle are imported from Scotland to other stock, constitute a large part of Canada.

-Iowa sheep owners hope to get a the profits, and that if this refuse could not be sold some mills would be com-law this winter directing a general slaughter of dogs. pelled to be run at a loss.

-Sir names began in France in the The paper 'trimmings' of a large prinyear 1000, and in England at the time ting office, like the Harpers or Apple- of the Conquest.

tons, are worth thousands of dollars a -The first introduction of plating on Lumbermen have found use for nearvear.

ly every part of a tree, and scraps that a -Brick layers' hods, like those of few years ago accumulated so rapidly modern times, are mentioned in the fourteenth century.

as to be a source of inconvenience and -No forks are found at Herenlaneum consequently expense, are now sold so they are not supposed to have been for a good price and are in great de- used in that era.

-Among the Anglo Saxous the mand. The value of tobacco scraps is cience of medicine and law was mono highly appreciated in Europe than in pelized by the elersy.

-The daughter of the late Senator He simply walked up to Trustworthy sacred chapel of equally solid construc-Kersikes and twisted the double-barrelled tion. In a dark recess aside from this fure of cigars very little is allowed to go America, but even here in the manufac-Carpenter, of Wisconsin, will spend th winter in New Orleans

-Chief Justice Comegys, of Deinleaves that are rejected by the cigar ware, who has been very ill, is now re-You work too much for small results, as though he were making an assay on in number, and represent the deceased makers are sold to farmers for manure. ware, who has been very garded as out of danger.

-Richmond now has a fund of about the eigarette manufacturer, or to Eu- \$30,000 with which to build a monument to General R. E. Lee. rope for p'pe smoking.

-The sales of the public lands for the The great waste in tolacco is with the consumer. It is estimated that about fiscal year ending in June were 10,093,-000 acres realizing \$5,408,000.

one third of the tobacco made into ci--According to the Nevada City, Cal. spare their unprofitable lives this trip, but bling the "cidolon" of the Greeks and gars is thrown away in stumps, and that Transcript, only five men in that city of tons or coins, are only worn by those who your mine you must be on the ground if ever they tried to kill him again there the shade of the Romans, was believed the smokers of the best eigers throw 7,000 inhabitants wear silk hats.

place like this, where there's wus than gray traveling dress, and a marvelously gray traveling dress, and a marvelously at the Cheibek of Asia in person, and have any amount of men at the the state of the control of as the Albancse or the Cheibek of Asia Miner. Many Indians wear but a single primitive shirt with blue and white stripes This least his construction this department, "Now, I have a bigger mine than This least his construction that if this thlog was repeated every eve-this thlog was repeated every eve-this department, "Now, I have a bigger mine than This least his construction that if this thlog was repeated every eve-

various motives, the Stub Mountaineers commented on and approved of the lectture which was to be delivered at the lyceum on that Wednesday evening. "Yes, the room is ready; but your hus-Squire Dodley stroked his long beard as he checked his gray pony before the mother's here to awaitin' to forbid the hats are frequently ten inches wide, and

village store. "I suppose my girls will insist on going," said he; "but there are so few things going on at Stub Mountain that it seems a pity to deny them a little recreation."

husband. My mother has been dead And the landlord of the Stub Mounseven years, and a partner is a luxury tain hotel chuckled. in which I have never indulged my-

"It was an ill wind that blew good to self." nobody," he said, "and any popular "This ain't my daughter" said the sensation was good for business?" starched female. "My Mary Smith has This was on Tuesday. Upon the red hair and she stutters." Wednesday morning, a stout gentleman n a chaise, drew up to the hotel and strutted up to the bar, with a very rubi-

cund face and little fiery eyes, "And my wife weighs 200 pounds and "Mary Smith tectures here to night?" she wears the bloomer costume,"unwillsaid he "I guess you're about right there, ingly confessed the stout person, who

had by this time come in front of the 'squire," said the landlord, feeling in his pocket for the bundle of tickets which green and was standing staring in the the lyceum proprietor had authorized doorway. The landlord heaved a mighty sigh of him to sell. "A pop'lar subjeck, too. You can read all about it on the bulletin relief. "Wall," said he, "I don't see but that board out there, and ____"

"I forbid it," said the stout gentleman the lectur' may go on after all." growing redder and more apoplectic

ed. Miss Smith retreated to her room, with every movement. "Land o' Goshen!" said the landlord. and the landlord breathed freely again. "She is my wife," said the stranger.

But in the afternoon train from Bos-"My name is Smith-Zernbbabel ton a young man in the undress uniform Smith-and I won't be disgraced by of a naval officer came unexpectedly any of this public lecturing business." upon the scene "Yes. I know," said the landlord, but

"Is this the place where Mary Smith I don't believe the law will uphold you lectures to night?" he asked of the landit, 'squire, after the tickets are sold

"Hang the law!" shouted Mr. Zerub

cratly wondering if there were any more babel Smith, bringing his closed fist relations to object. "Ef you want to don't care two straws for the law. My wife is my wife, and I wont have her down among the glasses with a bang, I making a Merry Andrew of herself here pear tree."

"Polly," said the young officer, lean or anywhere clse. When do you expect ing over the pretty, French gray shoul-"The room was engaged from twelve "I hear you," said Miss Smith, turn

o'clock, 'faltered the landlord ; "but ing over a leaf and pretending not to be

aware of a pink flesh which was over-"Very well!" roared the red faced man, "I'll just go and stroll around spreading her cheek. the village, and you let me know when "Are you really determined to go on with this public tour?" he asked quiet she arrives-d'ye hear?"

"Mr. Zerubbabel Smith had hardly betaken himself to the shadow of the old elms on the village green when an Miss Smith, elderly woman of starched appearance came in, with a striped carpet bag on one arm and carrying a gingham umbrella in the other hand.

"Is this the Stub Mountain lyceum? said she, primly. "No, marm," said the landlord. "This 'ere's the tavern. The lyceum ain't open

ill 8 o'clock, Want to buy tickets for the lecture?" "Certainly not," asid the elderly fe male.

"P'raps you would like to engage ness and marry me!" She smiled-hesitated-visibly vieldroom?" said the landlord, with a glance at the carpet bag.

"Nothing of the sort!" said the

married!" hard at the starched female.

"I wish to see Miss Smith," said she abruptly. "Eh?" said the landlord.

"The lecturer on-women's rights,"

"Never was so glad to see anybody in traveler of the wandering Bedouins and one or two assistance." my born days," croaked the landlord, the mhabitants of India. The pictur-

esque head piece, adorned with beauti-ful feathers, has given away to the prosa-"How deep might the shaft be?" asked the other. hand, he's out on the green, and your ic felt or straw hat. The brims of these

banses, and your partner avowing the part that covers the head is covered faithful Moslem would at once recognize shaft at all."

in these Indian hats a degenerate offspring "Hoisting works up?"

of the sacred turban. Shoes are not worn in her clear incisive voice. "I have no by the Indian; he usually travels barefoot or uses a pair of sandals, corresponding of hard coin on hoisting works." exactly to those worn by the hospitable

sons of the Arabian desert. A woolen blanket, with a hole in the center, is mine?" owned by nearly all Indians inhabiting "On the assessment plan, sir. That's the temperate zone. This protects the bearer against stormy and cold weather the latest and most improved method.

and keeps him warm in the night. A We have a big map of the mine hung up very light portable mat and the

hanging down on the breast. The Indian

Virgins, generally that of the Vir-gin of Mount Carmel. The wall ty nosegays and other artistic arrange-

flowers. On the eve of great run on like a chronometer clock. holidays a tallow candle is put on the altar and takes the place of the kitchen fire that on common week days furnishes light of mining keeps a lot of men to work"

for the family, when the visit of some "So does mine," quoth the golden friend or tale-telling stranger keeps its gate chap. Thousands of men are wormembers from seeking their couch at an king night and day to pay the assessearly hour. The kitchen utensils are the

the cocos nut. The comal is an earthern 26. vessel that serves to prepare the tortillas A gourd bottle for water completes the Indian's movable property.

Cetton in Kans

The experiments in raising cotton

"But I've made an engagement." time. He said nothing more but stared me. Let's go this very minute and get a crop in Kansas as corn or wheat.

-Life boats were invented in th Mary Smith langhed and blushed and burst into tears, and finally put her year 1787. -Billiards hand into that of the naval officer. teenth century. "Haven't you your own way?" said

Kansas have been highly successful, we will call Dr. Farrar, who went there ferret is always muzzled to prevent it One farmer raised, ginned and shipped 100 bales of an excellent quality, and others were successful on a smaller scale. The colored refugees from the "Break it then," said the officer. scale. The colored refugees from the first, and a good many of the boys sent When sent out muzzled, the ferret will re-"The elergyman lives just across the South, as a rule, understand its cultiva- their samples of ore to Salt Lake or Denver turn after the hunt to receive food. It tion was hopelessly drained dry by this green-I had his house pointed out to then, and cotton may become as certain for assay, and the rest of them used to salt runs into the burrows of the rabbits, for his flux and get a big showing and then which animal the ferret seems to have a stand him up for his pay. One hopest natural enmity, and drives the timid creaminer gilded the pestle one night in the tures out, where they they are caught in assay office, and sold his gopher hole on nets and snares set for them. A ferret

some years ago, at St. James Palace,