

#### In Choate.

When Ambassador Choate was leadar of the New York bar many a fledgeung lawyer had a fling at him. There was searcely an attorney who was not straid of him in open court, but elsewhere an occasional display of conrage and impudence would be made. One day in the Lawyers' club a budding pundli, now a highly successful practitioner, observing Mr. Chonte at a neighboring table, asked in a voice meant for others to hear:

"Ah, counsellor, why was your incheon so radimentary"

"Perhaps you can explain," said the egal light, dryfy "Because Is's in Choate," was the

oply. 'Your play upon my name." return-

of Choate, drawing out the words with teen emphasis, "painfully expesses the rofoundness of your ignorance. The uncheon, sir may be in Choate, but vour right to address me is IN-ko-ate." Sun,

ITS WINTER SLEEP BROKEN. Big Catfish Disturbed by the Intrusion of a Lot of Buffalo Fishes. The Aquarlum's big Mississippi riv or cutfish, which in winter lies on the bottom of its tank motionless for weeks at a time in a state of hibernation, woke up in great shape on Monday last when some other fishes were introduced into its tank. For years this big catfish has had a

tank all to itself; but when the fishes from the St. Louis exhibit, a big lot. were received on Monday, it was nec essary to double up the stock here in few of the tanks, and then the buffs to fishes, which have been in the Aquar-

um about six months, were placed in the tank with the big cat. The buffelo fishes came from the same waters as the big catfish, but the cutfish regarded their coming into its tank as an intrusion, for all that, and it got up out of bed-out of its bod of sand on the bottom of the tank

-to say so, chasing the buffalo fishes about with a Hveliness quite unwonted to it at this sensor. The imitale fishes are sizable specimens, but not nearly so big as the catfish, and they fied at its approach. When it had driven the buffale

j fishes all into the upper waters of the tank, the blg catfish went back to bed again, and once more settled down and went to sleep. And so it has since remained, the buffaloes keeping well RWAS from it. Apparently it is now sleeping well

and soundly again, but when It dreams-If catfish ever do dream-its sleeping visions doubtless take the shape of those unmannerly buffale fishes, which so radely broke in upon its long winter slumber -- New York



Going through the hospitals in our ness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-large cities one is surprised to find such a large proportion of the patients lying on those snow-white beds women tried and true remedy.

and girls, who are either awaiting The following letters cannot fail to or recovering from serious opera- bring hope to despairing women.

Why should this be the case? Sim- West Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

Women in Our Hospitals

R. G. Dan & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says: Storms at home and complications abroad tended to check activity in com-mercial and financial markets, but most industrial lines continue busy, testifying to confidence that trade interruption will be brief. Prior to the bad weather there was liberal distribution of mer-chanding at cardy prices but subar claundise at steady prices, but subse-quently a sharp advance occurred in re-tail prices of food products, owing to restricted receipts at points of heavy consumption. Country merchants at the South have large stocks that move slowly because of the decline in conton and collections are slow.

New England manufacturing plants are well engaged, especially in machin-cry, jewelry and textiles, but buyers have left the Boston footwear market without placing contracts, owing to disagreement as to prices, Production of pig iron continues at

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

R. G. Dan & Co.'s "Weekly Review

the maximum rate, yet there is no evi-dence of a reaction. Ample water supply has made it possible to maintain Cou-nelsville coke production at the remark-able average of 300,000 tors weekly. Failures this week numbered 305 in the United States against 302 last year. and 43 in Canada, compared with 28 a YEAT AGO. Bradstreet's says: Wheat, including

ur, exports for the week ending Janu-y 26 are 1 (01,587 boohels, against 1385074 last week; 2517,052 this wee it year; 4.120.003 in 1003 and 3.702.368 togo. Corn exports for the week are 3.035.733 hushels, against 3.480,529 last week; 1,488,306 a year ago; 2,045,000 m 1003. and 427,018 in 1902.

### WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore FLOCK-Quiet and unbanged; receipts, 4.731 barrels; ex-

WHEAT-Unsettled; spot. contract, 1.14/01.14/4; spot. No. 2 red Western, 1.15/01.15/4; January, 1.14/01.14/4; Febroary, 1.14/10/114/5; March, 1.15/4/0 1.15/5; May, 117 asked; steamer No. 2 rod, 1.00/10/1004; receipts, 12.080 hush-

els: Southern by sample, 1.0:@1.15; Southern on grade, 1.0;@1.15; CORN-Easier; spot, January, Feb-ruary and March, 301;@2018; Muy, 30@ 50%; steamer mixed, 48]/044856; re-cepts, 43.503 bushels; Southern white and vellow corr, 444/20 and and rellow corn, 4434@4034. OATS-Steady; No. 2 white, 1714@ 3715; No. 2 mixed, 3612@37; receipts,

ota bushels. RYE-Steady; No. 2 Western up-Sh(a.87.

BUTTER-Firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 22/023; fancy creantcry, 30(0:31) famey ladle, 10(0:20; store packed, 15(0:18)

EGGS-Easy, 23c. CHEESE-Firm and unchauged; large, 1214@1214; medium, 1214@1214; small, 12%@13, SUGAR — Strong and unchanged; coarse granulated and fine, 6.35.

New York .- BUTTER -- Easy; re-

ceipts, 2,967; street price, extra cream-ery, 29@291/2; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 19@20; State dairy, thirds to firsts, 21/0/26; renovated, common to exira, 15@23 CHEESE - Firm, unchanged; re-

ceipts, 323. EGGS-Weak; receipts, 6.021; State, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy selected white, extra, 300 32; do., choice, 280 29; do., mixed, fancy, 27; Western, selected, choice, 26; do., average best, 25; South-

POULTRY — Alive firm; Western chickens, 12; fowls, 14½; turkeys, 13@ 14;; dressed firm; Western chickens, 13 @14; fowls, 15/@13/5; turkeys, tots; ex-FLOUR-Receipts, 30.640 barrels; ex-ports, 4,579 barrels; dull and lower; win-ports, 4,579 barrels; winter straights, fowls, 13/013/2; turkeys, 15/0 20. ter patents, 5.306(5.85; winter straights, 5.25(5.40; Minnesota patent, 5.80(6.20, BUCKWHEAT FLOUR-Dull; per

00 pounds, 2.00/2.10. HIDES-Firm; California, 21 to 25

ellow, 2334@245. POTATOES-Dull; Long Island, 1.75

(2.00; State and Western, 1.25/21.50;

PORK-Barely steady; short clear, 13.00 0/15.50.

COTTONSEED OIL .- Firm ; prime

# AN OLD MAN'S TRIBUTE.

An Ohio Fruit Raiser, 78 Years Old, Cured of a Terrible One After Ten Years of

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ney trouble, of sight or ten years' standing. suffered the most severe backache and other pains in the re-gion of the kidneys. These were especially severe 112. when stooping to lift anything, and

SIDNEY JUSTUS. often 1 could hardly straighten my back. The aching was bad in the daytime, but just as had at night, and I was always lame in the morning. I was bothered with rheumatic pains and dropalcal swelling of the feet. The orinary passages were painful, and the secretions were discolored and so free that often I had to rise at night. I felt tired all day. Half a box served to rolleve me, and three boxes, effected a permanent cure.

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Benjamins Franklin's Courant. Thomas C. Bradbury of Biddeford Me., is the owner of a copy of the New England Courant, which is dated "From Feb. 4 to Feb. 11, 1723." The copy, which is devoted for the most part to a speech of the king, states that the Courant "is printed and sold by Benjamin Franklin."

Reason and Ht Lack. Cholly-"But aw-why do you say

you don't like my face?" Miss Pert-"Recause." Cholly-"Ah! but that's not a pwoner answer; there's no reason in that." Miss Pert-"Well, there's none in

your face, either."-Philadelphia Press. There is more Catarch in this section of the

There is more Catarch in this section of the country time all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incursible. For a great many year declors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it in-curshie. Science has proven Catarch to be a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarch Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional erre-on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a treaspoonful. It acts direct-by cate illicolation and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

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Dixon-"Have you heard from him?" Tomson-"No; that's the reason I know he's prospering."-Detroit Free Press.

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## BIRD INVESTS WITH POWER.

#### Superstition Connected with Jeweled Toy of England's King.

When as a girl Amelie de France now Queen of Portugal, first visited Windsor Castle, the mystic jeweled bird which was taken from the through of Tippoe Sahib and presented by the East India Company to George III. was the object of her profoundest ad miration. In fact, it fascinated her ro mantle soul, and Queen Victoria, who had a strong strain of romance in her nature, quite understood her young guest's feeling, so she ordered the bird to be taken to the princess' apart ment, in order that a sketch might be made of the treasure. The first thing the Queen of Portugal asked for the night she entered the banqueting ball on the King's arm and saw the blaze of the celebrated gold plate upon the buffet, was this jeweled hird! His majesty immediately ordered that it should be placed upon the table in front of the Queen, that she might gaze upon it at her leisure. There are many legends woven about that bird. A London journal says the Hindoos call it "Uma," and they say that whoever owns Uma must reign over India. It is supposed to have the gift of locomotion, and it alights upon the head of whoseever it endows with royal power. It is about welve inches long, and is shaped like pigeon with an exaggerated tall Publes, brilliants, omeralds and pearls are sown about the quivering feather of filagree gold work; it holds a price less ruby in its beak, and an emerald of great size and luster hangs from its breast. The bird shares with the Kohinoor the superstitious regard of the Hindoos. While the Uma folds its wings in the castle on the Thames, and while the Kohinoor blazes in the English crown, there is nothing else to do but be an good subjects of King Edward as may be. It is the will of the gods.

THE WRONG KIND OF LOVE.

Youngster's Recitation of Text Showed Bent of Thought.

William H. Maxwell, the superinlendent of the public schools of New York, believes that free meals should be provided for such school children get insufficient nourishment at 88. home, on the ground that a child suffering from hunger cannot learn its

Mr. Maxwell was describing the othday the free-meal system of the Paris schools. Suddenly he paused and smiled

"When this system was introduced in Paris," he said, "a teacher at an English Sunday school explained it to her pupils, and told them that love had caused the system's adoption, and without love the world would be a poor place for children and for all helpless and infirm persons.

each of you to come prepared to recite a scriptural verse about love.'

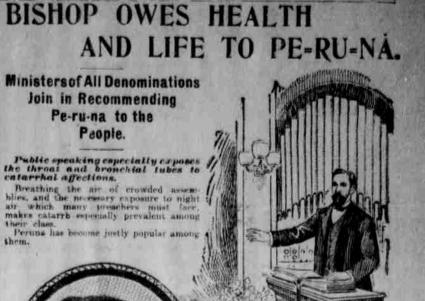
verses. One had 'Love your enemies:' another, 'Little children, love one another,' and so on

arose. He began in a loud, shrill voice:

fifth verse."

with apples; for I am sick of love." Difference Exactly Defined.

He was the head of a Hariem house-hold, but his better half usually did the family marketing. One morning recently he was sent around the corner to get some eggs for breakfast The grocer's clerk danced attendance and was asked. "Have you any eggs?"



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Te now owns a stable of racehorses and a kennel of dogs, keeps several sunters and owns and races a yacht ineing the season. He used to ride n some of the meetings of the hunt dubs, and "Mr. Blemton's" name was ften hung up as the rider of the winter. It is hard to say what Mr. Belnont's favorite sport is, because he

patronizes so many. Headquarters of the new Paper Box. Bag and Novelty Workers' International Union, just chartered by the American Federation of Labor, have been estabished in Chicago.



"Next Sunday,' she said, 'I want "The next Sunday duly arrived and the children had all prepared their "Finally a small boy with red hair

"Song of Solomn, second chapter,

"And then he recited:

"'Stay with me, flagons, comfort me

Why should this be the case? Simply because they have neglected them, selves. Ovarian and womb troubles are certainly on the increase umong the women of this country—they every upon them unawares, but every one of those patients in the hospital beds had plenty of warning in that bearing down feeling, pain at left or right of the womb, nervous exhaustion, pain in the small of the back, lencorrhom, diz incess, flatulency, displacements of the womb or irregularities. All of these symptoms are indications of an un-healthy condition of the ovaries or womb, and if not beeded the penalty callby condition of the ovaries or Miss Ruby Mushrash, of East omb, and if not headed the penalty Chicago, Ind., writes: has to be paid by a dangerous operation.

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Live Stock New York .- BEEVES-Steers slow and lower; some sales of good cattle 20e to 25e lower. Steers, 370 to 5.60; bulls, 2.75 to 3.80; cows, 1.50 to 3.65. Ca-bles quoted live cattle and sheep steady; refrigerator beef selling at totac to totac per pound. Exports tomorrow, 550 beeves, and 5,416 quarters of heef. CALVES-Veals about steady, qual-

ity considered; Western and barnyard calves lower, Veals, 5.00 to 9.25; no prime yeals here; Westerns, 3.00; barnstreep and LAMBS-Sheep nomially steady; lambs slow and easier. Medium to good lambs, 7.25 to 7.70 No sales of sheep. Chicago.-CATTLE-Market strong.

Good to prime steers, 5.70/16.23; poor to medium, 3.75@5.60; stockers and feeders, 2.25@4.25; cows, 1.25@4.40; heifers, 2.00/0 3.10; canners, 1.25/02.45; alls, 2.10(24.00; calves, 3.90(27.00, HOGS-Market strong, Mixed and builly.

butchers, 4.45/0/4.05; good to choice heavy, 4.62/5/0/4.70; rough heavy, 4.45/0/ 4.55; light, 4.40( 4.57)(2; bulk of sales, 4.50 14.60. MUCH IN LITTLE.

There are more than 50,000 electricians in the United States.

Russia has a per capita investments in adustrial enterprises of \$4, while the United States has \$125.

Wages of the switchmen of the Dela-ware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad have been increased 4 to 6 cents an hour and their hours have been reduced.

By the recent invention of an automatic machine for the blowing of beer bottles it is said that a,220 beer bottle wers throughout the country will be

Justice Scott, of the Supreme Court of New York, has denied the right of a labor union to expel a member without permitting him to be present when charges against him have been preferred Almost the entire commercial wearn of India, with its population of 300,000, 500, is said to be in the hands of less than 90,000 persons.

an Mill No. 2, Fall River, Mass. 90,000 persons.

Stationary engineers of New Jersey are agitating the question of licensing all engineers, and will try to have a law passed to that effect.

passed to that effect. The proposed international labor un-ion, which is being promoted by Eugene V. Debs and is to include all organized labor, is vouched for by the most power-ful organization in the country. The benefit fund which the Switch-men's Union has paid out in the last three years amounts to Stor.com

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teething, soften the gums, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colfe, 25c, a bottle Galalith, or "milk-stone," is being much used for decorating.

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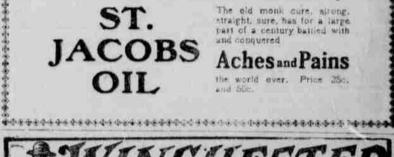
"Certainly," was the clerk's sponse, as he pointed to convenient crates of the coveted breakfast food. One crate was labeled "Fresh eggs" and the other "Strictly fresh eggs. The customer was a man more skill ed in the exactitude of literary expression than the discriminating terms of the market man. "I fail to understand," said he, "how

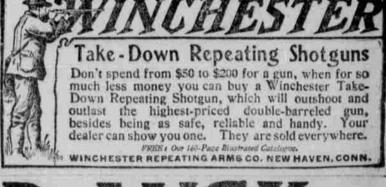
eggs that are 'fresh' can be less than strictly fresh.' What's the differnce?"

"Ten cents a dozen." was the quick aply .- New York Tribune.

Execution Checks Outrages.

The execution of two of their leadrs has put a temporary check to he machinations of a new Chinese ect named Tsal-Yuan, in Honan, whose program was to destroy all allways and all foreigners on a day o be announced. They hate the present ruler of China, declaring that the real emperor is now residing on the "Mountain of Nine Dragons," and will make his appearance in due time.





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