An Expert's Opinion.

Our readers have doubtless noticed the numerous discussions by the scientists and bygienists as to the relative value of the various baking powders. A careful sifting of the evidence leaves no doubt as to the superiority of the Royal Baking Powder in purity, wholesomeness and strength, from scientific standpoint. An opinion, bowever, that will have perhaps greater influmee with our practical housekeepers, is that given by Marion Harland, the well known and popular writer, upon matters pertain ing to the science of domestic economy, of housekeeping, and of home cooking. letter published in the Philadelphia Ladies Bome Journal, this writer says:

"I regard the Royal Baking Powder at "I regard the Royal Baking Fowder as the best manuscurs and in the market, as ar as I have any experience in the use of such compounds. Since the introduction of a tinto my kitchen I have used no other in making biscuits, cakes, etc., and have en-tirely discarded for such purposes the home-made combination of one-third soin, two thirds cream of tartar.

"Every box has been in perfect condition.
when it came into my family, and the contents have given complete satisfaction. It is an act of simple justice, and also a pleasure, to recommend it impositisely to American housewive. Markon Harland."

Good News, if True,

An extensive bed of deep-water systems has been found, it is said, in he Sound, about twelves miles from Seattle, Wash.

Immigration to Amstralla. The Australian colonies have ex

pended about \$40,000,000 in promot ing immigration.

Chanliness, exercise and diet are the cards and virtues of good health. Take care of the first to and if you have what and have to eat you beed never be II. It is chanced that Garbell Ten a simple near remedly, overcomes the results of wrong living.



Albany, N. Y.

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*Words are powerless to express the grati-tude I feet toward Hood's Sarsaparilla, for under God, I feel and know that to this medicine l ore my life. Twelve years ago I began to bloat, followed by names at the stomach, and later with swellings of the limbs, accompanied by severe pain. This granually grew worse until three years ago. Physicians told one the trouble was

Caused by a Tumor For several months I had been unable to retain any food of a solid nature. I was greatly smaclated, but frequent hemorrhages, and was satisfied the doctors were right in say-ing my life reas nearly over. One day a friend suggested that I try Hood's Sar-aparilla; I did so, and for 3 or 4 days I was sisker than ever, but I kept on and gradually began to feel better.

I began to Feel Hungry weight, the saffron hue left my skin, the loating subsided, and I felt better all over.

For the past two years my health has been Hood's parilla Cures cuite good, and I have been able all the time to do the housework for my family." Mrs. Oc-DEN SNYDER, No. 10 Judson St., Albany, N. Y.

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DFIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA. GA. BEYOND OUR BORDERS.

Five workmen, of Halle, Germany, who drank water from the river Saale, contrary to the order of the authorities, were seized with Aziatic cholera.

By a collision between a passenger train and a cattle train near Grau, three persons were killed and 28 probably fatally hurt. Four hundred head of cattle were killed.

The Dux Miners Killed Number 180. All hope of rescuing alive the men who were entombed by the explosion of fire-damp in the Fortschritt mine at Dux, Boemia, has been abandoned. An investigation to the incandescent lamp.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS THE FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

Happenings The World Over.

CLEANINGS OF INTEREST TERSE LY TOLD, BOTH DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN.

Washington News, Fresident Harrison has refused a pardon to E. L. Harper, the Cincinnati Fidelity

National bank wrecker. Marthena Harrison, the President's randchild, has recovered, and the White House quarantine has been lifted.

Fires
At Clinton, Mo., the largest fire that ever ccurred in that city started Tuesday morning in Churchill Bros. Hvery stable, which was totally destroyed and fifteen horses burned to death. About a dozen other business houses and offices were completely gut-

ted. The loss will reach \$25,000. At Fair Haven, Vt., part of the business portion of the town. Loss, \$75,000.

At Fort Hamilton, near Brooklyn, N. Y., the Grand View Hotel. Loss, \$100,000; no DESTRICE.

During the past three weeks more than \$2,000,000 has been lost by fice to Boston.

At Tebula City, Mass., the business porion of the city. Loss \$100,000, insurance

Dissters. Accidents and Furlities

At Pattimore, the wife and two children of Owen Rice, auditor of the Pennsylvania railway, were burned to a crisp by the eaplesion of a gasoline stove.

An Erie train collided with a sleigh at Passale, N. J., and Miss Mary Bryan and Miss Mary Splain were killed, Mrs. Thomas O Erien was fatally hurt.

Two boys named Sullivan and Orr were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the home of Sullivan's father at St. George. New Brunswick

The Bennington and Rutland milroad had serious accident at Rutland, Vt., by which Edward H. Cobb, of Wallingford, was killed, and Mrs. Herbert Curtis, of Rutland, was severely injured and several other passengers elightly injured.

A boiler explosion wrecked Favor's sawmill at Columbus, Ga., Wednesday, Will Griffin, white, and Titus Heath, were instantly killed. Three others were mortally wounded.

While a party of workmen were crossing the P. W. & B. tracks to board a train at andith, Del., a freight train struck three of them, instantly killing John W. Batson nd S. L. Vicinski and fatally injuring John Johnson.

A negro tramp at Medon, Tenn., accused of a petty theft, was hanged by a mob after he had been almost whipped to death. A station operator with a gun, who attempted to protect the victim, was imprisoned by We crowd.

Capital. Labor and Industrial,

The grinders employed by the American ax and tool works at Beaver Fall, Pa., have been notified of a sweeping reduction in their wages to take effect February 1.

The Lake Erie & Western yard switch men's strike at Muncie Ind., is over. They got no support from sympathy strikers, hence their failure.

The new men at Homestead, Pa., are beng dropped rapidly and only about 900 remain. Through their incompetency the firm has been obliged to drop them and take back the experienced men.

Legislative.
The Indiana House of Representatives, 60 to 19, concurred in the Senate joint resolution, declaring in favor of keeping the World's Fair open on Sunday.

The Senate of the State of Washington unanimously passed an anti-Pinkerton bill.

The Alabama State Senate has reconsidered its vote of last Tuesday and on Saturday passed a bill giving an annuity of \$500 to Mrs. Jefferson Davis. It now depends on the lower house whether the bill becomes a law.

Missouri's legislature has passed a bill compelling railroad companies to provide separate coaches for white and colored pasengers

A bill for the improvement of country roads has just been presented in the New York legislature.

A bill has been introduced in the Nebraska Legislature, providing for a fine of \$10 on hotel keepers who use gas; also making the proprietors responsible for the deaths of persons who blow out the gas in establishments. It has been dubbed "a bill to protect jays."

New York's legislation has appropriated \$7,000,000 more for the State capitol, which bas already cost over \$20,000,000.

Crime and Penalties.
At St. Louis, Frank Hensehel shot and probably fatally wounded his sweetheart, Miss Alice Bruce, at her home. The police, looking for the would-be murderer, found his dead body in an alley two blocks away. He was probably crazed by cigar-

Personal.
Bishop Brooks died without making a vill. His estate is estimated at \$750,000.

Miscellaneous.

Judge John Martin, a Democratic lawyer of Topeka, becomes Senator of Kansas. The atter title was bestowed upon him by the joint convention of the Senate and the Popuist house, and he will proceed at once to Washington to take the seat of Senator Perk ns, who was appointed by the Governor a year ago to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Plumb.

The verdict of the new Coroner's jury at Alton, Ill., in the cases of W. E. Richards and Henry Groggans, is that the explosion was caused by negligence of railroad employes.

-Tur demand for work by unem; joyed girls is so great at Harrison, N. J., that the Edison Electric Lamp Company had to appeal to the police to preserve order. Nearly 400 girls have been put to work since the re-cent decision in favor of Edison in relation

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THINTIER PAY.

SENATE.—The anti-option bill and the Cherokee outlet bill were considered, but no action was taken. The Senate then went into executive session and soon adjourned.

Horse.—The House in continuation of Saturday's session met at 11 octock this morning. This had the effect to continue the special order under which the quarantine bill is being considered, and the House immediately proceeded in committee of the whole to further discussion of that measure, and after a few amendments the bill was passed by a vote of 138 to 28.

The house them, in committee of the whole proceeded to the consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill. Without disposing of the bill the committee arose and the house adjourned.

The quarantine bill which passed the house, though in its general purport similar to the senate measure on the same subject, will have so pass the scrutiny of the latter body. The senate bill still rests upon the the speaker's table, and if it could have been taken up and amended in conformity with the house bill it could have been taken up and amended in conformity with the house bill it could have been taken up and amended in conformity with the house bill it could have been taken up and amended in conformity with the house bill it could have been sent mmediately to conference. As it is, the house bill goes to the sanate with no more privilege than that enjoyed by any other proposition originating in the other house.

The bill as it passed the house requires all yessels clearing for the United States to obtain from the consul or vice consul at the port of departure a bill of health. The president is am horized to detail a medical officer to serve in the offices of the consul at any foreign port for the purpose of formstong information and giving the bills of health. The marine hospital service shall co-operate with State and minicipal boards of health. Ternely Told.

The marine hospital service shall co-operate with State and municipal hourds of health in the enforcement of the rules of such with State and mainterpal bounds of health in the enforcement of the rules of such boards and the regulations prescribed by the secretary of the treasury to precent the introduction of contagious and infectious diseases into the United States from foreign countries and from one State to another, but nothing shall be construed to warrant a federal official in relaxing State rules. On arrival of an infected veced in any port not provided with proper facilities for treatment, the secretary of the treasury may remand the vessel to the nearest national or other quarantine.

Hinty-first Day.

Senare—Early in the day a communication from Chief Justice Fuller of the supreme court to the vice president, announcing the death of Associate Justice Lamar, was laid before the senate by Vice President Motton. Mr. Wilson of lowa moved as a mark of respect to the memory of Mr. Lamar, who was formerly a member of the senate, that the senate sujourn, The motion was carried manimously.

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House .- After a little routine the house of representatives, on motion of Mr. Allen, of Missouri adjourned out of respect to the memory of the inte Associate Justice Lamar, THIRTY-SECOND DAY.

SENATE —In the senate to-day Mr. Hale, (Rep. Maine) reported from the committee on naval affairs an amendment to be offered to the naval appropriation bill, authorizing a contract for the construction of one ing a contract for the construction of one battleship of about 9,000 tons displacement, two armored coast defense vessels. 10 gunboats of 8,000 to 10 000 tons displacement and eight first class torpedo boats. The amendment was referred to the committee on appropriations. It fixes no limit of cost but appropriates \$3,000,000 toward the construction of the vessels. \$1,000,000 towards armament and \$200,000 for torpedo experimentation and trials. Mr. Faulkner (Dem. W. Va.) introduced a hill for the admission of Utah as a State, and it was referred to the committee on territories. The senate proceeded to executive business and s on thereafter adjourned.

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House—In the house filibustering against the bankruptey bill was inaugurated to-day by Mr. Kilgore (bem., Tex.) and the house adjourned without action, thus exhausting the two days assigned to the judiciary com-mittee and the bankruptey bill.

mittee and the bankruptcy bill.

THERTY-THERD DAY.

SENATE—The Anti-Option bill was under consideration, but the discovery of the absence of a quorum led to an early adjournment for the day.

Hotse—In the House to day the Sundry Civil bill was granted the right of way, and while a few obstructions were placed upon the track, none of them proved disastr u and the bill made fair progress. Without concluding the bill the House adjourned.

THERTY-TOCKER DAY

On assembling to-day both houses of Congress passed appropriate resolutions regarding the death of Jas. 6. Blaine, and out of respect to his memory adjourned for the day.

STRATE—Practically the whole of the day's session was spent by the Senate behind closed doors—the executive session lasting from 12:40 to 4:30, when the Senate adjourned until 2 o'clock Monday, the change of hour being fixed in order to give Senators an opportunity to attend Mr. Blaine s funeral. The new Senator from West Virginia, Mr. Camden, elected to fill the late Senator Kenna's unexpired term, appeared and took the oath of office.

Hotses—Nothing of importance was accomplished and after a short session the House adjourned. THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

JUSTICE LAMAR BURIED.

Thousands of People Honor the Memory of the Dead Jurist.

The funeral ceremonies over the late Associate Justice L. Q. C. Lamar took place at Macon, Ga., on Friday. A public meeting was held at the opera house and eulogies were delivered by some of the most prominent members of the bar in this State. procession from the house to the Methodist church commenced at 11 30. Dr. Chandler, president of the Emory college, where the dead justice graduated, delivered the funeral

Chief Instice Fuller and the associate instices were present at the services, Thousands of people gathered along the route taken by the funeral cortege and at the church it was impossible to get within 50 yards of the door. All the church bells were kept tolling during the ceremonies. The interment took place about 2:30 p. m., and afterwards Chief Justice Fuller and the Washington party left for home.

FUNERAL OF BISHOP BROOKS.

Simultaneous Services in Three Churches and an Open Air Ceremony.

The funeral of the late Bishop Phillips Brooks, of the Episcopal Church, occurred at Boston, Mass., on Friday. Thousands viewed the remains at Trinity Church, where the services were conducted at noon by Bishop Potter, assisted by Bishops Wil tiams, Neely, Talbot and Niles.

When the procession started for Mt. Au burn Cemetery, where the remains were laid in the family lot, a public service was held from the steps of the west vestibule of the church, for the benefit of the multitude who could not gain entrance to the church. Simultaneously with the services in the church, there were public services of prayer in the First Baptist and Old South Church, both within a stone's throw of Trinity. At each there was a large atten-

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HAWAII'S QUEEN DETHRONED.

The Islands in the Care of a Provisional Committee and Want Annexation to the United States.

Thereign of Queen Lilliuokatani, Hawaii, is at an end. The steamer Claudine, which arrived at San Francisco on Sunday to might the news of a revolution at the overthrown, a provisional government established and a commission, headed Mr. Thurston, arrived on the Claudine to petition the Government of the United States o annex the Hawaiian Is ands.

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On January 15 the Queen arked that the Minstry sign the new constitution, prepared by the local congress, the Hai Kalaiana, which was in substance the old constitution, under which the sovereign had almost absolute powers to rule. The Ministers refused, appealed to the free-holders of the islands and gained the support of the latter. A Public Safety Committee was formed and a proclamation of independence from sovereign rule issued.

Broodshed word have undoubtedly followed the revolution had not the United

Bloodshed wor'd have almosthedy to be united States man of war Boston usen in the United States man of war Boston usen in the harbor. A large detachment of armed marmes and sallors of the Biston were landed and held ready for eme gency at the United States consulate. The presence of this armed force kept the turbulent spirit of the mattives in absenue.

tives in abeyance.

The Queen and her Ministers surrendered
The Queen and her Ministers surrendered The Queen and her Ministers surrendered all public property to the Provisional Committee and Her Majesty then retired to her palace, where the committee furnished her an armed guard.

Commissioner Thurston said today that he believes the United States Government will take the Islands. If she don't be thinks a republic will be formed and the protection of this country and

of this country saled.

The worship Mobican left for Honolula to day, and will soon be followed by the cruisers Rangerand Adams. The Monterey is also being fitted for sea.

ANNEXATION OF HAWAIL

LIKELY THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL TAKE A dispatch from Washington says: Un

A dispatch from Washington says: Un-less this country takes prompt action in the matter of annexing the Hawaiian Islands, as the provisional government of that coun-try saks, Great British will be apt to assert a protectorate over the islands, on the plea that British interests must be guarded. This step, it is generally conceded, would be but a series of acts that would eventually result

a series of acts that would eventually result in Great Britain taking absolute possession. The control of these islands by England would give her a strongling command over the Pacific ocean. In addition, it would allow Great Britain to complete the chain with which for years she has been endeavoring to surround the United States.

The Canadian Pacific railroad on the north the recently improved fortification at Halifax, the cable to the Hurmudas and the establishment in those islands of an increased garrison, the British colonies in the Carribean Sea and the British acquisitions in Guinea and Venezuela are all acts of Great Britain which have not been observed in this country without concern. Possession of the Ha xaiian group would complete the armed circle.

The islands are as important to the United States, from a stragetical point of view, as they are to Great Britain. They would be valuable as a supply depot for ships of war, and also for the cruising commerce, vessels on the Pacific.

As the war with Mexico resulted from the As the war with Mexico resulted from the annexation of Texas, there is some talk that Great Britain would not look calmity on while the United States took Hawaii under its protecting wing. This view of the case was considered in the Executive session of the Senate Saturday and will be an important factor in reaching a conclusion.

BUSINESS HAS IMPROVED.

A Perceptible Increase at Many Points R. G. Dun & Co's Weekly Review of Trade says: There has been some increase in the distribution of products during the past week and the demand for manufactured goods is distinctly larger, so that business has perceptibly improved at many points. Yet the outpo of gold, expected to exceed \$3,000,000 this week, reduces Treasury reserves, causes increased nervousness about the future and renders men more reluctant to engage in the new under takings.

Wheat is a fraction lower in price, with moderate sales, and the Western receipts in four days have been over 2 000,000 bushels in spite of bad weather, while Atlantic exports have been only 391,000 bushels. Corn is 2½ c higher and pork products a shade higher, but outs ic lower. Coffee is le higher, with moderate sales, and oil to lower, Cotton has not charged in price, though sales have been quite large, and the receipts this week thus, far have been: 40,000 bates and exports 51,000 bales smaller than in

The dry goods trade in all its branches is strong and healthy. Sales of wood at Boston for the year thus far are more than 59 per cent, greater than last y.ar, with growing stronger. The boot and shoe growing stronger. The boot and slice trade is remarkably healthy and shipments heav-ier than a year ago. The iron and steel in-dustry during the past week has been factor record-breaking prices though the demand and sales are large. The business in finish-ed products is very heavy, but for many ginds the prices are the lowest ever known. Structural iron works havefar more busines than usual

than usual.

There is still an excess of merchandise exports over imports for January, though exports from New York in four weeks have been \$10,800,000 less than for the same weeks last year, while in Imports there is on increase of about \$4,000,000. The excess of exports last January was over \$17,000,000. The business failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days number for the United States 205, and for Canada 40, or a total of 295 as compared with totals of 332 last week and 303 the week previous to the last. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 217, representing 255 failures in the United State and 44 in the Dominion of Canada.

STAMBOUL DETHRONED

His World's Record Rejected. Kremlin Becomes the King.

Stambon's grand performance of 2.074 made on the Stockton, Cal., track on No vember 23 last, a world famous mile that trowned him king of trotting stallions, has been rejected by the American Trotting Register Association at Chicago. Kremlin who covered a mile at Nashville, Tenn., in 2.07% on November 12, according to the register is trotting king. Under a resolution all the time performances made at Stockton, Cal., October 13 to November 23, inclusive stand rejected, but will doubtless constitute bars for trotting purposes.

Stamboul went against the record six times. The table of his wonderful formance follows, the quarters, halves, three-quarters and miles being shown re-

Oct. 22. \$3 1.044 Oct. 27. 304 1.014 Nov. 9 324 1.03 Nov. 16 314 1.034 Nov. 19 304 1.024 Nov. 23 31 1.024 Ninety-seven other records were rejected

Happiness and Duty.

Hampiness passes away, leaving hardl, a single trace behind, and can often . .deed scarcely be called happiness, seeing nothing lasting has been gained by it. Unhappiness also passes away (and that is a great consolation), but leaves deep traces be hind, and, if we know how to improve them, most wholesome ones. purifying and strengthening, and frequently productive of the highest Then in life it is worthy happiness. peculial remark, that when we are not too solicitous as to happiness, or the want of it, but devote ourselves to the strict and unspairing fulfilment of duty, then happiness comes of itself-yes, even arises from a life of troubles and anxieties and privalons. I have often seen this verified n the case of women who were very infortunate in their conjugal relations, but who would rather have perished than dreamt of forsaking

This Is Probably a Fable.

Of Æsop, the "fabulist," it is written that he was a person of extremely luxurious tastes, and that he once had served at a banquet a dish of singing birds at an expense of \$4,000,

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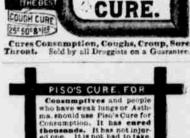


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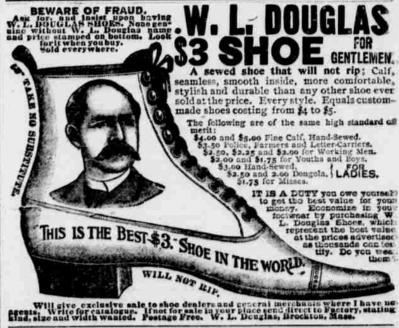
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