The Tower of Silence.

The Parsees will not burn or bury their dead, because they consider a dead body impure, and they will not suffer themselves to defile any of the elements. They therefore expose their corpses to vultures, a method revolting, perhaps, to the imagination, but one which commends itself to all those who are acquainted therewith. And, after all, one sees nothing but the quiet, white-robed procession (white is mourning among the Parsees) following the bier to the Tower of Silence. At the entrance they look their last on the dead, and the corpse bearers—a caste of such—carry it within the precincts and lay it down, to be finally disposed of by the vultures which crowd the tower. And why should the swoop of a flock of white birds be more revolting than what happens at the grave?

Meanwhile, and for three days after, the priests say constant prayers for the departed, for his soul is supposed not to leave the world till the fourth day after death. On the fourth day there is the Unthanna ceremony, when the large sums of money are given away in memory of the departed. The liturgy in use is a series of funeral sermons by Zoroaster.

Of superstitions, the Parsees have had more than they retain. Connected with burial is the popular conception as to the efficacy of a dog's gaze after death. Dogs are sacred, and supposed to guide the souls of the dead to heaven, and to ward off evil spirits; hence it is customary to lead a dog into the chamber of death, that he may look at the corpse before it is carried away to the Tower.—The Nineteenth Century.

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TICKINGS OF THE TELEGRAPH

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC.

What Is Transpiring the World Over. Important Events Briefly Told.

Capital, Labor and Industrial.

At Fostoria, O., the Mambourg glass works, which has been idle for several months, has resumed, employing 75 men.

At Muncie, Ind., the Nelson glass company has started its plant, making bottles. All of Muncie's eight glass factories are now at work.

At Bristol, Pa., Leedom's big carpet works, which shut down five weeks ago on account of dull trade, have started up, giving employment to 600 persons.

Within the past few days nearly 1,000 operatives in the potteries of Trenton, N.J., have been discharged and work in many of the potteries has come almost to a standstill.

The Baltimore and Ohio shops at Garrett, Md., which have been almost entirely shut down for four months, started with a full force of 550 men.

The Grand Rapids (Mich.) Chair Company has resumed with a full force of 300 men.

After a long shut down the spring and axle works at Fort Plain, N. Y., have resumed in full.

The coal mines at Buckingham, O., and the XX mine at Shawnee, O., have shut down, throwing over 600 men out of work.

The Haskell and Barber Car Company, at Michigan City, Ind., which shut down last August, resumed operations, employing about half of their 3,000 men.

The Laughlin nail mill, after several weeks' shut down, and Aetna-Standard mills, which have been idle for months, resumed work in full at Martins Ferry, O.

The Pennsylvania Steel Company will shut down its immense plant at Steelton, Pa., except the bridge and construction departments from December 25 to February 1, owing to the lack of orders. About 5,500 men will be thrown out of employment.

At Louisville, Ky., the Henderson woolen mills have resumed operations and are expected to run at full time the rest of the season. About 200 people are given employment.

Washington News.

W. B. Hornblower of New York who failed of confirmation by the last senate as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, was renominated by the President.

Mr. Bland of Missouri introduced his new silver bill in the house. It is a free coinage measure, providing for the coinage of standard silver dollars of 412½ grains.

Measures are now pending before congress for the admission of New Mexico, Arizona and Utah to statehood.

Joseph B. Doe of Wisconsin has been nominated for Assistant Secretary of War.

Net customs duties aggregating $488,129 have been paid on World's Fair exhibits which have been sold or retained in this country. The value of these exhibits is $2,000,000.

Disasters, Accidents and Fatalities.

An engine on the Texas and Pacific exploded about a mile west of Eastland, Texas. Charles F. Elliot, engineer; Jesse Beaver, fireman, and Frank Spencer, head brakeman, were instantly killed.

By the loss of the schooner Jason, of Highland Light, Mass., Tuesday, 20 sailors were drowned. Only one escaped.

Sanitary.

At Beaver Falls, Pa., grip has assumed the form of an epidemic. Most of the manufacturing establishments are crippled owing to employes being laid off with the disease. One hundred cases of grip are reported at Johnstown, Pa.

At Leavenworth, Kan., twenty-five deaths from grip have been reported in the past 10 days. The disease is almost epidemic, and within the past two weeks fully one-half of the homes in this city have been visited.

Fires.

Turner hall, Allegheny, Pa., was damaged by fire to the extent of about $10,000 and Janitor Carl Benninghoff's wife and two children suffocated.

The business section of Creal Springs, Ill., was burned including the Herald printing office, the bank and several stores. Loss, $50,000; insurance two-thirds.

BEYOND OUR BORDERS.

Influenza is increasing in Germany. Three hundred marines are in the hospitals at Kiel from the disease.

The inquest held at London upon the remains of Prof. Tyndall has resulted in a verdict that the professor died from an overdose of chloral.

November Fire Loss.

The fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of November amounts to $11,493,000. Although this is less than the sums chargeable against the same month in 1891 and 1892, the current year promises to make a record of fire waste unparalleled since the year of the Chicago fire and out of all proportion with the country's growth.

The losses in New York City for the month just closed show a total of $231,700.

The losses for the entire year of 1890 were $106,998,345; for 1891, $137,716,150; for 1892, $132,704,700. As 1893 has already piled up a total of $144,340,400, it is probable that the completed year will make a total of over $156,000,000.

Thousands are Starving.

It is estimated that the number of unemployed in Chicago is nearly 117,000 and so great has their suffering become that the Illinois Conference of Charities and Corrections at a special meeting appointed a committee of 100 representative citizens to at once proceed to raise a charity fund of $1,000,000, for the relief of the most pressing want of the worthy and resident poor. By actual count 1,117 men sought shelter in Chicago City Hall Friday night and as many more were stowed away on the stone floors Saturday night.

—THE World's Fair management has decided to give all the buildings except Manufactures to Jackson Park, along with $250,900 to care for them.

CALENDAR FOR 1894.

1894	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Jan.	..	1	2	3	4	5	6
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1894	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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ECLIPSES IN 1894.

In the year 1894 there will be four eclipses—two of the sun and two of the moon; and a transit of the planet Mercury across the sun's disk, as follows:

I. A partial eclipse of the moon, March 21, visible in the United States west of the 100th meridian, where the moon will set with the eclipse still on. This will be a small eclipse of 2.97 digits, or about one-fourth of the moon's apparent diameter, and upon the southern limb. This eclipse returns April 1, 1912, when it will be still smaller; and it will pass off in an Appalse, April, 12th, 1930.

II. An annular eclipse of the sun, April 5, invisible in America.

III. A partial eclipse of the moon, September 14-15, visible throughout North America; size, when greatest, 2.77 digits, and upon the northern limb of the moon.

IV. A total eclipse of the sun, April 29th, invisible in United States.

V. A transit of the planet Mercury across the sun's disk, November 10th, visible throughout the United States. The planet will enter upon the sun's disk on the east side, and pass upward and across the same, occupying 6h. 43m. 22s. in so doing.

THE SEASONS.

	D.	H.	M.
Winter begins 1893, Dec. 22, and lasts 89	1	6	
Spring begins 1894, March 20, and lasts 92	20	7	
Summer begins 1894, June 21, and lasts 93	14	24	
Autumn begins 1894, June 21, and lasts 89	18	41	
Winter begins 1894, Dec. 21, trop. yr., 365	6	16	

PLANETS BRIGHTEST OR BEST SEEN.

Mercury—February 21st and October 15th, setting after the sun as evening star; April 13th and August 19th, rising before the sun as morning star.

Venus—January 10th, setting after the sun as evening star; March 22d, rising before the sun as morning star.

Mars—October 20th, rising, at sunset, an evening star.

Jupiter—December 22d, rising at sunset, an evening star.

Saturn—April 11th, rising at sunset, an evening star.

Uranus—May 3d, rising at sunset, an evening star.

Neptune—December 6th, rising at sunset, an evening star.

MORNING STARS.

Mercury—See Planets Brightest.
Venus, from February 16 to November 30.
Mars, until June 27.
Jupiter, from June 4 to September 1.
Saturn, until January 19 and after October 21.

EVENING STARS.

Mercury—See Planets Brightest.
Venus, until February 16 and after November 30.
Mars, after June 27.
Jupiter, until June 4 and after September 1.
Saturn, from January 19 to October 21.

FIXED AND MOVABLE FESTIVALS.

Epiphany	January 6
Septuagesima Sunday	January 21
Sexagesima Sunday	January 28
Quinquagesima Sunday	February 4
Shrove Tuesday	February 6
Ash Wednesday	February 7
Quadragesima Sunday	February 11
Mid-Lent Sunday	March 4
St. Patrick's Day	March 17
Palm Sunday	March 18
Good Friday	March 23
Easter Sunday	March 25
Low Sunday	April 1
Rogation Sunday	April 29
Ascension Thursday (Holy Day)	May 3
Sunday after Ascension	May 6
Whitsunday (Pentecost)	May 13
Trinity Sunday	May 20
Corpus Christi	May 24
St. John the Baptist	June 23
Michaelmas Day	September 29
Advent Sunday	December 2
Christmas Day	December 25

PROMINENT PEOPLE.

IRA D. SANKEY, the evangelist, is fifty-three.

ROSA BONHEUR, the animal painter, was born at Bordeaux, France, and is now seventy-one.

CORNELIUS VANDERBILT is said to have given $1,000,000 to religious work in the last two years.

EVEN in premierships the record has given way under M. Tricoupis, who has become Prime Minister of Greece for the fifth time.

THOMAS P. EGAN, of Cincinnati, who is to go to Antwerp in May as a United States commissioner, began his career on a salary of $2 a week.

OUR ex-Minister to England Edward J. Phelps takes his recreation when at leisure from his exacting professional and college duties by driving a favorite span of chestnut horses.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON'S favorite tune is "The Soldier's March," from Gounod's "Faust." He cannot discriminate, as a rule, between tunes, but in this case he recognizes the tune instantly.

THE second medalist of the Royal Geographical Society this year (M. Selous, the African explorer, being the first) was Woodland Rockhill, an American diplomatist, who had made himself famous by his explorations in western China and northeastern Thibet.

A WOMANLY trait of Queen Victoria of England is her intense love for little children—a love which she shares with every other member of her family. She delights in having the small creatures about her, and nothing so quickly brings tears to her eyes as a pathetic story about a child.

MARVIN HUGHITT, who controls the vast Chicago and Northwestern Railway system, with its 10,000 miles of tracks, began his railroad career by carrying water to construction hands on an Iowa line. He was then a boy of fourteen and at sixteen he was a station agent with a salary of $35 a month.

THE Japanese Government has granted permission to Dr. Mary A. Suganuma to practice medicine in Nagasaki. This is the first time that a woman physician has been allowed to practice in Japan. Dr. Suganuma is an American woman, and she married Mr. Suganuma, formerly in the telegraph department at Osaka.

OSCAR FIENSON, a bedridden cripple living near Bridgeton, N. J., was married to a widow whose acquaintance he had made through a piece of lace made by him and purchased by her.

Animals—Deceivers Ever.

Swindling and deceit are known among animals. In military stables horses are known to have pretended to be lame in order to avoid going into military exercise. A chimpanzee had been fed on cake when sick; after his recovery he often feigned coughing in order to procure dainties. The cuckoo sometimes lays its eggs in the sparrow's nest, and to make the deception surer it takes away one of the sparrow's eggs.

Animals are conscious of their deceit, as shown by the fact that they try to operate secretly and noiselessly; they show a sense of guilt if detected; they take precautions in advance to avoid discovery; in some cases they manifest regret and repentance.

Thus, bees which steal often hesitate before and after their exploits, as if they feared punishment. Someone described how a monkey committed theft: while he pretended to sleep the animal regarded him with hesitation, and stopped every time his master moved or seemed on the point of awakening. Such, and many more well-known facts, may be due to fear of punishment, which naturally follows a misdeed, just as is observed among habitual thieves.

A River Flowing from the Sea.

On the African shore, near the Gulf of Aden, and connecting the lake of Assal with the main ocean, may be found one of the most wonderful rivers in the world. This natural curiosity in the shape of a river does not flow to but from the ocean toward the inland. The surface of Lake Assal is nearly 600 feet below the sea level, and it is fed altogether by this paradoxical river, the latter being about twenty-two miles in length. It is said to be a wonderful fact that this river of immense volume, especially at high tide, furnishes exactly enough water to counterbalance the extraordinary evaporation of the lake, and that in consequence the lake's surface remains at a uniform level year after year.—New York Dispatch.

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"Well?"

"I forget her name, but I remember distinctly the details of her jump."

"Well, let's have them," said the newspaper man, impatiently.

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