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DRIFTING BOTTLES.

Valuable Information as to the

Washington Spec. Baltimore Sun: Some valuable information respecting ocean currents has been obtained by the Naval Hydrographic office through floating bottles thrown overboard by steamers and recovered by passing ships, which report the exact points at which they were found. Frequently the bottles are picked up and again tossed overboard after the latitude and longitude and the number of the bottle have been noted, so that the office in Washington may know the direction taken by the bottle since put into the sea or last sighted by some vessel. this way the direction it has drafted and the strength of the current can be accurately estimated. There are some recent returns which show that bottles have floated thousands of miles, and one has a record of covering 2,400 miles In 92 days. This pottle was tossed overboard from the steamship Furst Bismarck on May 1, 1898, about 350 miles southeast of Cape Race, and recovered on August 1 in the vicinity of Gluck stadt, on the Elbe. The distance between the two points, following the route through the English Channel, is about 2,400 miles, giving 26 miles as the lowest possible estimate of the daily average velocity with which the bottle traveled eastward. The longest distance made by any bottle was one thrown from the steamship Electrician, which covered 6,300 miles in a little over three years, or an average of nearly six miles a day. Another bottle traveled 6,000 miles in 671 days, or an average of eight knots, while another made 5,000 miles in 327 days, or an average of 15.3 knots a day, Another good record for a bottle is 300 miles in 16 days, or an average of 18.8 knots a day. In conducting its experiments the navy department has had the co-operation of the Russlan government, which on the cruises of two of its versels had thrown in the sea 703 bottles, of which 20 have been recovered and reported. Taken collectively, the paths followed by these floating bottles give a good idea of the drift currents of the North Atlantic. otion of the waters see westerly, as is evident by the destination of the numerous bottles cast adrift between Madeira and Cape San Roque. all of which ultimately found their Don't Need Another

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Rats Undermined 1t.

An extraordinary occurrence happened the other day in Brussels. A milk-woman with her cart, drawn by two dogs, was passing through a street in the center of the city, when of a sudden the roadway opened and the cart and dogs disappeared. Investigation showed that the roadway had been undermined by rats, which swarm in the neighborhood,

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A Prince's Dilemma.

The German emperor likes to study the characters of his group of small sons, and to that end has given them a room next to the one used for business purposes for himself. A certain great scientific man, having on one occasion an interview with the emperor, left his hat in the adjoining vestibule. There the little brothers discovered it; and the crown prince, explaining to the younger ones that "papa" sometimes sat on his opera hat and it came all right again, proceded to give a practical illustration of this statement, to the ruin of the beaver. The emperor's door suddenly opened and "papa" and the professor appeared. Like a manly little fellow the crown prince owned up, apologized to the laughing professor and went off to buy for the old gentleman a new hat with his small pocket change.

A Terrible Revenge. Tom-"So that rich heiress refused way to the Windward Islands, the Ba- | you?" you?" Jack-"Yes, but I got even. I married ther mother."-New York Journal.

RS. PINKHAM says that irritability indicates disease. Women who are nervous and snappish are to be pitied. Their homes are uncomfortable; their dispositions grow constantly worse. Such women need the counsel and treatment of a woman who understands the peculiar troubles of her sex.

EVERY-DAY TALKS WITH WOMEN

hamas or to the western shores of the

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TRADE REVIEW.

Prices Are Still Advancing and It is Difficult to **Gb.ain Competent Hands at Many** of the Works.

R. G. Dun & Co's weekly review of trade reports as follows for last week: In most lines business continues to In most lines business continues to expand, though in some there are signs that buying has been checked, either because prices have outrun the views of buyers, or because recent purchases have been so heavy that nobody is left in need. Prices are still advancing, in aimost every line supported by rising prices of materials, and works everywhere are still crowded to their atmost capacity, while at many points it is found hard to get through competent hands. But the volume of business expressed in values rises much more than prices, showing a remarkable increase in qualities of goods exchanged. exchanged.

The outbreak of war in South Africa

exchanged.

The outbreak of war in South Africa has brought no such changes as many feared. In England the markets have treated it as an event already over-discounted, and relations with this country were not appreciably affected. The outgo of cotton is just now checked, but of other great staples and manufactured products the foreign demand is surprisingly sustained.

Wheat has declined 1½ cents in price in spite of unfavorable crop reports, and western receipts do not keep up with the unprecedented movement of last year, having been but 23,54,409 bushels, against 30,592,494 bushels during three weeks of October last year. But Atiantic exports, flour included, have been in three weeks of October 10,679,216 bushels, against 9,588,226 bushels last year, and Pacifical exports 1,533,188 bushels, against 2,288,312 bushels last year. Beyond doubt prices would rise far and fast with such a foreign demand if official and other current reports of yield were fully credited. Corn exports add testimony as to foreign needs, having been in three weeks 10,324,406 bushels, against 7,002,659 bushels last year.

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The upward movement of cotton, 3-16 cent for the week, has now come to depend largely upon a great speculation, for farmers by the thousand are now holding back cotton to some extent, while important banking and trading interests are enlisted.

Wool has also enlisted a powerful speculative interest and sales of 11,-293,000 pounds for the week at the three chief markets represented about twice the copsumption. But it is stated that manufacturers, exclusive of the American Woolen Company, have been buying quite freely and while goods for men's wear outside of worsteds were not particularly active, there has been excellent business in dress goods.

Sales of 50,000 tons bessemer pig and a reported demand for 100,000 tons billets in a bare market at Pittsburg have made quotations less intelligent than usual. Bessemer sales at \$23 for next year and \$2450 for this year, at Pittsburg, are reported, with billet sales of sheet bars at \$36 per ton. The western market is strong and the eastern not changed. While large orders for bars are refused at Pittsburg by the works, which are full for many months ahead, others just starting are seeking such orders for plates, and the Chicago and Pittsburg markets are still full of orders for plates, and the Chicago and Pittsburg markets are still full of orders for plates, although the works at Pittsburg have nearly caught up, and some of them are now taking only 2.75 cents against 2.90 cents last week. Some works are also taking orders for sheets at 3.10 cents, and in other directions there are signs that theenormous priduction begins to be felt.

There is a possibility of check owing to shortage of cars at Connellsville, which restricts delivery of coke.



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THE WORLD'S COLDEST PLACE.

Bussian Hamlet on Yana River Holds That Distinction.

From the Philadelphia Press: Vercholausk is considered to be the coldest place in the world. It is a small collection of native log houses, planted near to, but not on, the Yana river. The street, if so it may be called, extends on either side of a narrow sheet autumn overflow of the Yana, and which in winter forms a frozen promenade or driving place for sleds. It is a dreary place enough. The summer lasts only four months, and during the other eight of the year it is bitterly cold, the thermometer sometimes indicating 86 degrees below zero, and it seldom goes above 50 degrees until April 30. Corn will not grow in this desolate region. Barley and oats have been sown, but have always succumbed to the early frosts. Of yegetables, there are only the radish and the turnip, with, perhaps an occasional and very precarious crop of potatoes. Cabbages all run to leaf. The ground rarely thaws, even during the hot season, beyoud twelve or eighteen inches deep and in places much exposed to the heat never beyond a yard. Most of the dwellings are Rakut huts, built of fir

trees against a square framework and

covered thickly with mud to keep out

the cold.

Margherita's Fondness for White. Queen Margherita is passionately fond of white, and wears it more than anything else. One day she asked the king if he thought she was growing too old to wear white dresses. king replied that he would like to think the matter over. In the course of a week the queen received a note from her royal husband, saying that his answer would be found in the accompanying box. The box contained three beautiful white dresses.

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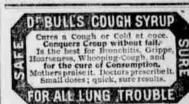
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It is said that the study of German is increasing in France, while the study of English la ov the decline. In the of water, a kind of creek formed by the | Ecole des Sciences Politiques, in Paris, where diplomats are trained, many more study German than English. Many young Frenchmen are now being sent to Germany and Austria instead of England to get acquainted with the language of the victors of 1870. In a Paris lycee 143 students study German to 34 English. In another school the proportion of German to English is 500 to 188. In the Marsellles gymnasium two-thirds study German, onethird English. It is believed that this French interest in German will have a powerful influence in the commerce and politics of the world in the next generation.



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