The fact that China is boased by a wo nan is one to be borne in mind by those who discuss the woman question.

herberry

London dealers report that they can't half supply the demand for toy soldiers, guns and swords. The English toddlers have surely caught the war spirit from their sires.

A unique bill providing for the release of convicts to attend funerals of near relatives has been introduced in the Massachusetts legislature, Naturally the convicts believe in the policy of the "open door,"

The water of the River Spree is polluted with from 80,000 to 90,000 micro-organisms per cubic contincter. A process of sterilization has, however, been applied to it at Berlin which forces it over a series of small falls, and during the passage it is subjected to a current charged with ozone. This destroys all of these micro-organisms, except one in every 800, making the water potable.

Two Pennsylvania farmers have been at war for eight years over 10 trees worth \$19. The case is not yet acttled, 'but the costs amount to \$1148.75. In addition, there are fees of five lawyers. One of the lawyers is under treatment for mental exhaustion. Culver claims that the trees Hazlett cut down were on his land, but the dividing line between their farms is in dispute, its settlement depending upon a 60-year-old deed.

There appears to be a constantly growing favor in Australasia for Amercan products. The good feeling which has been recently developed between the United States and Great Britain naturally extends to the latter's colonies and has much influence in removing prejudices against American goods. American agricultural machinery, lumber, illuminating oils and other products are already receiving the preference in Australia and New Zealand, and only care and effort are needed to introduce other lines.

Should it be a rule of life to get all you can, or give all you can? That question is just now under discussion, Well, how much can one give unless he first gets? The men who are laying thousands or millions on the altars of education, humanity or religion have generally been successful as captains of industry, princes of commerce, or leaders of large business enterprises. Possibly also their chief benefaction has consisted in creating profitable employment-which is a kind of giving-especially if they have been just and considerate in their dealings, and have paid fair wages. To get honestly is quite as legitimate as to give generously, and ought to take equal rank.

A friendly shoulder slap broke a man's neck a few days ago in this city. There is only one worse nuiance in the world than the rib-noke

THE LOVE OF LOVES. BY MADISON CAWELN. I have not seen her face, and yet She is more sweet than anything Of earth; than rose or violet That April whose and sambeams bring. Of all we know, past of to come, Of loveliness none can forget, She is the high compendium; And yet

I have not touched her robe, and still f have not touched her rebe, and still She is more dear than lyric words Of music, or than strains that fill Wild brooks and throats of summer birds Of all we mean by poetry. Fhat rules the soul and charms the will, She is the deep epitome, And still

She is my world, ab, pity me! A dream that lies whom I bursue! Whom all pursue, whoe'er they be, Who tell for art and dare and do; The shadow-love for whom they sigh. The shadow-love for whom they sigh. The far ideal affinity. For whom they live or gladly dio. Ab. mel —saturday Evening Post.

A Story of Hypnatism. 8

TRUM LAY

STRAL body was not an expression entirely without meaning for me when I first met Simcox. If any one had then asked me what the term

meant, I would certainly have made some attempt to define it, although my definition would just as certainly have been vague and ansatisfactory.

It was through Clarence that I met Simcox. The two had been friends in Cevion, as I understood, though how or why I never knew, and it always seemed strange. Clarence's business in Ceylon was coffee planting, and it seemed that Simcox's was astral bodies. The only natural thing about their old acquaintance seemed to be that Clarence always knew queer peo-

ple, and surely Simcox was queer. "Why, how old do you take me to be?" he asked me suddenly one day. when I had said that something or other had happened before his time.

And when I answered that he looked to me to be about forty, he laughed quite heartily. It so happened that this conversa-

tion took place as we were walking to-gether to Madison Square, where we were to visit an exhibition of paint ings, old and modern.

When we had spent about half an hour ranging through the galleries, Simcox and I found ourselves standing before a portrait of a Spanish prince, who, I believe, lived somewhere about the time of Queen Elizabeth. The figure was dressed in armor, except for the head, which was bare, and showed a fine head of dark chestnut hair.

"This is the picture I wanted you to see," said Simcox. "Let's sit down on this settee and take it all in." I could not remember that Simeox

had said anything to me about seeing any picture in particular. "Well, what do you think of it?"

Simcox asked me presently. "Fine," I said.

"I suppose it is," said Simcox. "I suppose it is fine. People have been saying that about it for three hundred years. I suppose all the lords and ladies of the Spanish Court said it was fine when they first saw it. 1 wasn't there-

"You're not quite so old as all that?" I interjected, thinking of the mystery of his age. "No," he said, smiling, "not quite so old. And I wouldn't have been at

When we got to his rooms and Thad seated myself as comfortably as my nervous state of mind would allow, Simcox busied himself rumaging in

the drawers of a rolltop desk, "I don't need any very elaborate apparatus, you see," he said, "but there is one thing somewhere in these drawers, if I can only find it, that ought to help a good deal. Ah, here it in

He produced what I at first took to be a glass paperweight. On closer inspection it turned out to be a Japanese crystal ball, very clear and exquisitely mounted, but not mounted on any carved stand, like most of those I have

"Just hold this, will you?" he said.

I took the crystal in my hand, "You had better sit here," he said, "with you back to the window.

the light to come over your tunw shoulder. I ought to say that in that window

frame there was no curtain of any kind, only a brown holland window blind, which was rolled up. In front of me as I sat with my back to the light was nothing but an open carpet ed space. Indeed, bareness was the most obvious characteristic of Simver's office than a private sitting room. "Now, I am going to stand behind you, if you don't mind," he said, and

acted accordingly. In obsdience to his instructions 1

held the crystal in my lap with both hands and looked intently at it. Once could not resist the temptation to look behind me and see what he was doing. He was standing with arms extended, waving his hands about. "You

"Never mind me," he said. keep your eyes fixed on that crystal." After that I kept my eyes on the crystal constantly. Presently a mist seemed to shut out the point of light on which I was gazing. It was a white mist at first, but turned to a dark brown. Out of the mist presently same the gray glimmer of armor; then above the armor I could make out flesh tints; then the curling chestnut hair, the peaked beard and the mustache. The face was more clearly defined then it was in the portrait I had been looking at.

"Now," said Simcox, speaking from behind me, "was I right? Isn't the chin much more humaue than 'Velasquez made it?"

"Yes," I answered. "And the mustache is smeller and the hair closer cropped. But it is a wonderful likeness, on the whole."

"It is," said Simcox. "And now you know what an astral body is. Let's go and have some oysters."

The whole thing was gone. I was looking at the crystal ball once more. So we went out and got some oysters.

Some months later Simcox himself was gone. But I got by mail a marked copy of a small scientific pamphlet. It was printed in England, The marked passage was a terse statement of "Case 10-Mr. X., New York, U. S. A." The essential facts of the foregoing story were given in half a page of print. I was "Mr. X."

"Clarence," I said next time I met that interesting person, "who the dence is Simeox?"

"Simcox? Didn't you know. It seems that Simcox is a big man. Simcox is Meffler, the English doctorexpert on hypnosis and hallucina tions."-San Francisco Call.

Lucile's Snake Story.

Lucile Caldwell, a ten-year-ol-Sioux City girl, is the heroine of a big, but true snake story. Miss Cald well took home from O'Neill, Neb., the scene of the story, 256 sets o rattles from rattlesnakes to prove it. Here is the girl's tale in her own words:

"DOLLARS MEX."

The Common Currency of a Great Part of the Far East.

Reports of recent military operations in the Philippines include statements that the Americau troops have captured from the insurgents so many thousand Mexican dollars, Such state ments must not be interpreted as mere verbal artifican to magnify the importance of the exploit by using a small unit of value in reckoning the booty. The public are thoroughly familiar by this time with the distinction so common amony the Americans at Manila between "dollars Mex" and "dollars gold," and the fact that one of the former is worth less than half one of the latter, but the treasury of Agninaldo was, in all probability, stocked neither with paper money nor with coin of the United States mints, but with actual Mexican silver dollars

The Mexican silver dollar is, in fact, the popular currency, not only of the I hilippine Islands, but also to a large extent of the Chinese coasts, of the Malay Archipelago, and, outside of such great mer antile centres as Singapore, of the Straits Settlements, as well as of Japan. Hong Kong and Canton have in general fallen in with the pecuniary babits of the British colonists and traders, and Japan has a very convenient currency of her own, in harmony with advanced western ideas. But the yellow races of the East, as races, have taken a strong faucy to the white metal of Mexico.

The persistence in the preference is more easily understood than the manner in which the preference first gained its hold. A New York financier explained the original fact partly on resthetic grounds. "The design of the Mexican dollar," he said, "is a bold and striking one, and it impressed those Orientals from the time the coin first began to circulate among them. That, I suppose, was more than 50 years ago. At that period there was very little trade betweer. this country and the Philippines or any of those far Eastern regions. 01 course, among the population of the islands, the natives not being in an advanced stage of commercial civili: ation, the convenience of English small change was not apparent. Not being informed of the financial stability of of the British Empire, they could not be expected to appreciate the stamp that gives the shilling most of its value; what they did appreciate was the bigness and the weight and purity of the Mexican dollar, as well as the imposing appearance of it, "As to how the demand came to be

so well supplied, that is easy to understand when you remember that most of the silver in the world was then produced in Mexico, and that the coinage of it was free and unlimited. As the traders in the far East wanted Mexican dollars, it was to the interest of the Mexican mines to export their output in that form, and it cost them nothing to have the stamp put on. It was only necessary for them to keep the coining of their dollars down below the point of glutting the market; in other words, it would have been possible to ship so much coined silver to the East, either direct through London or through London by way of New York, that the premium on it would fall. "There is a premium on the Mexi-

can silver dollar in that part of the world even now. Here, for instance, is a cable from Manila, dated Jan. 12, which quotes the Mexican dollars at it again. Say that £4100 is the first 42 1-2 cents, gold. According to the bid. The auctioneer cries: "There are twenty-five golden sovereigns for dollar was worth at par about 14 cents on that date. The difference is ac- bid £4600." counted for by local preference for Then £25 is offered for a £1550 bid. Mexican dollars. The insurgents in If there is eventually no bid above the

HOSPITABLE CANNIBALS. Kind to White Strangers, Though They Occasionally Eat a Black Man.

The Rev. Dr. R. H. Nassau, who teft Baltimore on Wednesday, expects to return in the spring to his field of missionary work in Equatorial Africa. This is Dr. Nassau's fourth visit to the United States since, as a young man, he was sent to Africa as a missionary thirty-nine years ago, His hair and beard are white. During the last five years he has been stationed at Liberville, Gaboon Province (French), engaged in translating fourteen books of the Bible into the Fang language. These translations are be-ing printed by the American Bible Society. The Fangs are a tribe of cannibals, numbering about 1,000,000, and inhabiting the country lying far up the Ogovo River. They are large of stature, warlike and represent much the strongest tribe in that portion of

the country. Dr. Nassau said before leaving Baltimore that he could not call the natives that he meets in Africa savages; they are cruel, he said, but not blood-thirsty; their desire to kill is more for superstitions reasons. There are cannibals, he said, among them. He has seen them boiling human arms for food and offering for sale with other meats human hauds; "and one day." continued the doctor, "while floating down the river in a cause, accom-panied by my little girl and two natives to row the boat, we were called to from a group of naked men standing on the shore to know if he wished to Luy any meat, and, holding up a human arm, they informed us in their language that they had just killed two men belonging to a hostile tribe not far from there. This was about thirty

miles below my house. The only means of transportation through that portion of the country, Dr. Nassan said, is by boat. Trade is carried on without money, a cake of soap or a piece of calico or beads being all that is necessary.

"The men there are polygamists, their importance in the community being estimated according to the number of wives," said the doctor, "but," he continued, "I do not have to tell them of the existence of a God-a Supreme Being.

They are kind to their mothers, out abuse their wives. Our mission has succeeded in bringing about 1800 of them into the Presbyterian Church. If before becoming Christians they had married more than one wife we require them to set all free (all the

wives are slaves, bought and sold) but one-the one they might prefer. "The African is very hospitable, No medicine ever gave memore benefit than the Christian kindness of these heathen friends of our first are more They have a religion-they are more Unions than you or J. They feel heathen friends of our little mission. honored to receive us as their official guests, and so we can depend upon their protection."-Baltimorg San.

Bidding at a Datch Auction.

A Dutch auction at Cape Town is frequently exciting. If a house is to be sold the auctionser offers "Fifty golden sovereigns for the man who first bids £5000." Nobody bids, A pause, and then "Fifty golden soversigns for the man who first bids \$4900." This is kept up until a bid £1900." is secured. But it by no means follows that the house is sold to this bidder. No, the auctioneer is then at the first man who has the courage to bid £4600." Perhaps no one has it.

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GRANTED PENSIONS.

Beaver County One Hundred Years Old-New Castle Mill Worker Rewarded-Smallpox Near New Castle.

Names added to pension roll last week-John Peecock, Kittanning, \$6; Charles McCready, New Castle, \$8; John Dugan, Bellefonte, \$12; William Heisel, New Washington, \$5; Dunean McAlister, Sardis, \$12; Levi Thorn, Freeport, \$6; minor of John G. Law-son, Latrobe, \$to; Silas A. Emery, Grove City, \$17; John Reesman, Wasesboro, \$10; Duth A. Wilcox, Bradiord, \$12; George Wareham, Beav-er Falls, \$6 to \$8; T. J. Mignel, New Castle, \$6 to \$8; Henry Carney, West Lehanon, \$12 to \$13; John Stormer, Johns-town, \$6 to \$8; Henry K. Lastman, Coalport, \$8; Bernard J. Reid, Clarion, \$12; Albert T. Chugsmith, New Leba-non Stu, Loke W. Coulding Lehan Coalport, SS: Bernard J. Reid, Clarion, \$12; Albert T. Clingsmith, New Leba-non, \$to: John W. Goodlin, Indiana, \$24; John Lewis, Coaldale, \$12; Frank L. Wilkinson, Washington, \$3; Sam-nel H. Croyle, Jeannette, \$2; John W. Campbell, Grove City, \$12; John Calla-ban, Phillipsburg, \$10; Daniel Fix, New Castle, \$2; Elizabeth Nickel, mother, Worthington, \$12. Worthington, \$12.

One hundred years ago Monday Beaver county was established by an act of the Legislature. Sunday the centennial anniversary was used as a theme in many local pulpits, but the celebra-tion of the event will not occur until June 19 to 22. Arrangements for a June 10 to 22. Arrangements for a large celebration are being made and Gov. Stone and staff and other State officials have promised to be present, besides many G. A. R. posts. James Lonergan, elebr

James Lonergan, night watchman at the Kingston briek works. Latrobe, while on his way to work, was fired up-on by two men who were hidden along the road. He ran to the engine house, followed by the men, who fired a per-tect fusilade of bullets through the windows. Lonergan escaped with a bul-tet through his shoulder. This is the third attempt to murder Lonergan within a short time.

A genuine case of smallpox has developed in South Canonsburg. The victim is Frank McCoy, who had been employed at Homestead. He returned home last week and was at once taken ill. A consultation of physicians was held, and the sick man's affliction was pronounced a mild type of smallpox. The house has been quarantined and the State board of health notified.

Andrew J. Russell left Greenville for the Klondike in search of gold over two years ago. He went to Dawson and later he went to Cape Nome. Here he struck a paying claim and was washing out considerable dust when he sustained a paralytic stroke, which unfitted him for work and he began his long journey home, arriving Thursday morning, Russell was a prominent oil operator prior to his Klondike trip,

Deputy Sheriff E. R. May and Con-stable Thomas Washabaugh, of Greensburg, arrested eight alleged speak-easy proprietors at West Newton. For years that place has boasted of its "dry" town. Local option is in force. By the good people the town was believed to be a model of morality. Recently strong suspicions were aroused that speak-casies existed, and the people deeided to investigate.

A powder explosion at West Win-field, a mining village on the Winfield branch railroad, seriously injured men. The shanty was almost completely demolished and the five men were horribly burned, but it is thought that no deaths will result. The injured men are all Austrians with almost unpronounceable names.

Mrs. Lincoln Axtelle and two chils-" dren were nearly frozen to death in Deer Creek township, Mercer caunty, Tuesday night after their buggy broke down. They undertook to walk home, but fell exhausted. When discovered all three were unconscious, and did not revive for several hours. and they The new Methodist Episcopal Church The new Methodist Episcopal Control at Punxsutawney was dedicated Sun-day. The church completed cost about \$33,000. The combined seating capa-city of the auditorium and Sunday school room, which can be connected is about 1,200. There are all the conveniences of a modern church

and that is the shoulder slapper. They have both outlived their usefulness and are fit objects of solicitude for the Society for Doing Without Some "People. The fiend who takes you unaware on a crowded pavement with a facetious bat on the shoulderblade when you are meditating on the ideal and the beautiful, and expects you to twist your shaken vertebrae into a genial nod and greet him with a happy, flatulent smile, possesses an heroic soul that would not recognize the language of conventional remonstrance. He is not criminal and he is not crazy; he is simply an idiot. The lunatic asylums and the jails are overworked, but the fool-killer doesn't half know his business.

A party of veteran newspaper men were talking the other day about three Albany reporters who became members of the cabinet of the president of the United States: the late Daniel Manning, secretary of the treasury during Cleveland's first administration; Daniel S. Lamont, secretary of war during Cloveland's second administration, and Charles Emory Smith, now postmaster-general. It was less than 25 years ago that they sat side by side reporting the proceedings of the New York legislature. Colonel Michener of Indiana recalls an even more remarkable combination which appeared in the United States court of Indiana some years ago. Walter Q. Gresham, the presiding judge, afterward became secretary of state. Benjamin Harrison, who prosecuted the cuse, after ward became president of the United States, while Thomas A. Hendricks, was afterward vice president. Joseph E. McDonald and David Turpie, who afterward became senators, were on the other side. That group, for distinction, was probably never sarpassed in a single state; one presi-den', one vice-president, a secretary of state and two United States constary.

the Court of Spain, either. But there is one criticism the lords and ladies might have made, though I never heard that they did."

"What's that?"

"Simply that it isn't true to life." "But you don't mean to say it isn't lifelike?" I said in astonishment.

"What I mean is that it isn't as much like the original as it might have been. It would have been as easy for just Velasquez to have made it perfectly true. I don't see why he didn't-I never did. On the whole, it doesn't flatter His Highness. His jaw was not nearly such a cruel looking square thing as that. And yet the painter has taken the trouble to curl and lengthen and dandify the mustache almost out . recognition."

"Why, Simcox," I said, "you tals as if you knew the original in the

"Well," he said, "I don't and I do. You see, my dear fellow, to know a man's astral body is about the sawe thing as knowing the man in what you call 'the flesh.' You use the crude term of a wornout mediaval philosophy. An astral body may produce at times a faint impression on the eye, but it stands to reason it must be exact.'

It occurred to me at this point that Simcox needed fresh air. I had never before heard any one talk in this glib. matter of fact way about astral bouice. Either Simcox was crazy or there was something uncanny about him, in spite of his brisk, happy, everyday nanner.

"Oh, you're surprised, are you?" he said, chuckling to himself, "I might have guessed that a man who talks about knowing people 'in the flesh' would be. Let's have a practical demonstration

"Good heavens!" I exclaimed. "You don't mean to tell me that you are go-ing to raise the ghost of this old Span-

"I don't 'raise ghosts,' " Simcox "I don't 'raise ghosts,' " Simcox answered, with some impatience, "or believe in them. But if you are going to get fidgety, and as this is a public place, let's go to my rooms. "Take one more good look at the pioture before you go," he said, "and pay particular attention to the chin, mustache and syss. I want you to see I I'm not right in my critician."

"My uncle and I were walking along the banks of the Niobrara River, with cut thinking of any danger, when, all in an instant, we were surrounded by a swarm of loathsome rattlesnakes never was so frightened in my life My uncle began killing them right and left, and handed me a heavy stick and told me to defend myself. We stood side by side, and as the snaker crawled toward us we killed them. It was a fight for life. When the battle was over the ground was covered with dead and dying snakes."-Minneapolis (Minn.) Times.

Not According to the Regulations.

Lord Roberts, the British commander in South Africa, is very popular among the rank and file, who usually refer to him as "Bobs." He began his career in 1851 as a Second Licutenant in the artillery, and fought and worked his way up with remarkable success. No one better understands "Tommy Atkins." When near a barracks in India one day he was annoyed by several terriers belonging to the soldiers The owners rushed forward, kicked the quadrupeds, and humbly apologized for their pets' misdeeds. The Colonel listened and then said;

"They undoubtedly make good sentries, but I don't like the way they salute their superior officers."-Phil-adelphia Saturday Evening Post.

Animals That Are Not Dying Out.

Buffaloes and elephants are by n means approaching extinction as rapid ly as is commonly supposed. Im-mense herds of buffaloes roam about the vast northern plains of Australia, but bloodthirsty natives are also numerous in that region, and buffale hunters carry their lives in their hands. Also, according to the latest number of the British North Bornea Herald, large numbers of elephants occupy the jungles of that colony. The jungles to the south of Sandakan The jungles to the south of Sandakan Bay are full of them. It is suggested that they could be turned into a valu-able assot for the colony if decoy ani-mals were imported from India and the natives were taught how construct "keddahs." or trapping indostres.

the Philippines were well advised in using that coinage, because it is the coinage which the people of the country understand and like. If they were educated bankers, they would know that American money takes up less room in proportion to its real value, and they might admire the design of our dollars and dollar bills as much as the Mexican design; as it is, they don't thoroughly understand the theory of token money and national credit. And so Mexico goes on exporting her 40,000,000 silver dollars annually to be the popular currency of the far East."

Kn w What the Wanted.

There was a tall and haughty young woman in a provision store recently, a pretty girl who wore a smart tailor

"Have you a nice 'roundhouse' steak?" sheasked the butcher sweetly, when he came forward to wait upon her.

The man's face assumed a beefy hue

"Then send me a 'porterloin.' About seven pounds would be enough

suppose y.n take that?" suggested the clerk, his face growing still red-

"Kind y send me what I ordered," said the young woman with great dignity; "my mother-in-law is entirely conversant with the cuts of beef, and am quite sure that's the name she told me; and send 10 pounds of rice

Then she walked out of the shop with the pleased smile on her face of one who has found housekeeping the merest child's play, while the specta-tors murmured "bride" to each other under their breath .-- Baltimore News.

Primitive Travellog in Chin In Perkin and other northern localities in China much of the travel is done by mule litter, whore this ex-pensive mode of conveyance can be afforded, and these littermen are all Mohammedans,

£1400 the man who made that bid is saddled with the house. Otherwise he pockets his boille and gets off free of it all.

Dogs on English Monumental Brass. The most frequent animal represented is the dog, which, as the personification of idelity, is to be seen on many brasses to ladios. At Deerhurst is an interesting example of a dog which is shown as a supporter of the feet of Lady Cassey. It is evi-dently a favorite dog, for beneath is its name "Terri." The only other known instance is on a brass formerly at Ingham, Norfolk, where the pet's name is recorded "Jakke." The dogs are often found lying on the ladies' skirts as lapdogs, and looking up into

bells used for a similar purpose at the present day .- The Athenseum.

As to Mustaches.

God gave men mustaches to hide the meanness of their mouths. There is much character or the lack of it in the mouth. Once I made the acquaintance of a handsome man with a proud mustache, and in years became fond of him, without, however, quite There was au understanding him. indefinable something that was repellent at times, that seemed to caution me not to trust him too far. On a fatal occasion he shaved off his mus tache, exposing a small hole in his face that looked exactly like a slit cut in a pumpkin with a tarlow. No sooner had I seen his mouth than said to myself, "That man is a scoun drel; he has a cold cross." And he turned out even worse than that .-New York Press.

Sworn in by a Girl Deputy.

An incident occurred in the District courtroom of Bosque County, which, perhaps, has no parallel in the court history of Texas. When it became necessary to elect a special judge to complete the term abruptly suspended by the illness of Judge Hall the duty of swearing in Judge Poindexter de-volved upon a modest little girl of seventeen summers-Miss Nora Jones, Deputy District Clerk. - Houston (Tex.) Post.

Smallpox has broken out at Hillsville, nine miles west of New Castle II has existed for several weeks, the nature of the disease bing unsuspected and hun-dreds of people have been exposed to it. The village has been quarantimed.

The miners employed at the various works of Coulter & Huff, in Westmore-land county, will be given an advance of 10 per cent. April 1. There will be shout 5,000 men affected. The advance comes unsolicited.

Despondency over a love affair followed by religious excitement, has un-balanced the mind of Miss Ina Craig, of Oakland township, Butler county. Saturday the young woman was taken to Dixmont hospital, a raving maniac.

Pure Food Agent McGregor, of Indiana. has lodged information against to of the merchants of Johnstown and vicinity on charges of having violated the pure food laws by selling adulterated vinegars.

The Title and Trust Company of Western Pennsylvania has let the con-tract for its building at Connellsville to James Wherry & Co., of Pittsburg, for \$64,000. The building, when complet-\$64,000. The buildin ed, will cost \$85,000.

George Templeton, colored, charged with the murder of Sanford White, su-perintendent of machinery at Rainey's Mt. Braddock works, was found guilty of murder in the second degree.

Frank Dewberry, a worker in a New Castle tin plate mill, has received word that he has been left \$8,000 paid-up stock of the Anaconda gold mine by a woman he attended while a nurse in a hospital in Keango, Mont.

About 40 glass workers have left About 40 glass workers have left Jeannette to work in the co-operative factory at Point Marion, Ind. The ma-jority of the men were stockholders in the new factory, which is known as "The Jeannette Glass Co." works." Monday Ida Carnes, aged 16s acci-dentally shot herself in the head at her-home near Linesville, the wound prov-ing fatal.

with it.

gown and an air of great importance. It was obvious to the least observant on-looker that she took herself and her mission very seriously.

itself, and he looked well-nigh apo-plectic as he replied, "No, miss, I haven't a round steak."

I should think."

"Tenderloin is the best cut, miss; der.

the face of their mistresses. A collar of bells is represented round the neck, and the bells are curiously like the