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Variable Stars Discovered.

The researches being carried on upon photographs of the two magellanic clouds have resulted, the Harvard Observatory announces, in the discovery of more than one hundred variable stars in the so-called large cloud. The two clouds have long been objects of careful study on account of the ex-tracrdinary physical condition which prevails in them, but heretofore they have not been known as regions in which variable stars are numerous.

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the bark. There is talk of petitioning serving the trees, which are more valuable than any timber grown in the native forest. The bark is used for

AN OLD MAN'S TRIBUTE.

of a Terrible Case After Ten Years of

years' standing. I suffered the

backache and other pains in the region of the kidneys. These were especially severe when stooping to lift

anything, and orten I could hardly straighten my The aching was bad in the daytime, but just as bad at night, and I was always lame in the morning. I was bothered with rheumatle pains and dropsical swelling of the feet. The urinary passages were painful, and the secretions were dispolored and so free that often I had to rise at night. I felt tired all day. Haif bax served to relieve me, and three Years?" Dr. Hale jocosely remarked

oxes effected a permanent cure."

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## 42 ST. LOUIS "HAS THE GOODS."

## NEW YORK WRITER FINDS WORLD'S " FAIR BEYOND EXPECTATIONS "

Addison Steele, After a Week at the Exposition, Expresses Amazement at Many Features .-- St. Louis Cool and Prices Reasonable.

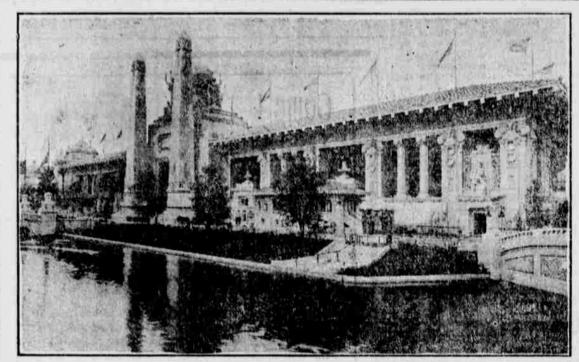
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R. ADDISON STEELE, a well-known newspaper and magazine writer, of New York, recently spent a week at the World's Fair. Returning home, he wrote the following appreciative account of his impressions for Brooklyn Life, which should convince any reader that it is worth his while to see this greatest of expositions:

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\*\*Those who imagine that the Columbian Exposition remains the last word in the way of a world's fair should remember

cign nations would alone form an exposition worth the journey from New York to
St. Louis. Germany's building, Das
Deutsche Haus, is a reproduction of Charlottenburg Schloss, 450 feet long and finelylocated on an eminence overlooking Cascade Gardens. The interior as well as the
exterior is a faithful reproduction of the
palace; Gobelin tapestries, the old Charcottenburg furniture and the Kaiser's wedding silver having been brought over for
the superb apartments. Nearly a mile to
the westward France has reproduced, at a
cost of half a milion dollars, the Grand
Trianon, the building and great garden
covering fifteen across. Great Britain has a
copy of the banqueting hall of Kensmgton
Palace; Japan, the Shishinden Palace, one
of several buildings in a characteristic
park, and China, the country seat of Prince
Pu Lun. Italy has a superb Graceo-Roman
temple, Austria an architectural glorification of Moderne Kunst, and Belgium a
smagnificent structure from an original desion. Lesser reunduction of note are the sign. Lesser reproduction of note are the tomb of Etmad-Dowlah, by East India, and the new Bangkok temple, by Siam.



PALACE OF MINES AND METALLURGY.

The only place on earth where fresh water is secured from a sally sea is in the Persian Guif. There are frosh water springs in the bottom, from which divers fill goatskin bags.

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Case of the Hair.

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GOLDEN CHANS.

It will be remembered, says the

Westminster Gazette, that some years egg climb to \$100, but this is what was of winged flowers does not lie in their medicinal purposes. It is estimated ago M. Max Regis was presented by a offered for each of the eggs of a certain that one pound of dry bark will make group of lady admirers with a pair of tain Indian game, hen, which was their wonderful series of transformation. It'is estimated ago M. Max Regis was presented by a offered for each of the eggs of a cer- varied and brilliant beauty, not yet in enough liquid extract to sell for \$2 at golden handcuffs, in commemoration brought to England some time ago. of his arrest and imprisonment in the ti-Semite swore that he would wear of the game breed, for the purchess of which comprises their beauty, the remainder of his life. For some carefully preserved for so long that death. Nor does it lie in the fact that time he kept his promise, and then it the date of the origin of the race has we do not yet certainly know whether Sidney Justus, fruit dealer, of Men- was observed that he had abandoned been lost in the past. tor, Ohio, says: "I was cured by Donu's his decorative fetters. Why? Was it Kidney Pills of a severe case of kid- infidelity to the cause, or what? Peo- specimens of the purest blood, for they know the precise use of their most ney trouble, of pie wondered, and could get no satis- are treasured by the Indian sportsman factory answer, until a few days ago at the highest value. there was a public sale of unredeemed pledges from the Mont de Piete. The most severe golden handcuffs (weighing forty-five dia - for the finest birds never reach own immortality. It rather lies in the grammes) were included in the cata- our colder climates-tell of their prowlogue, M. Regis having deposited them ess and ungovernable 'enacity in batwith "ma tante" to relieve a tempe- tie. With them it is always victory silent world. . . All the vast arrary indigence, and having neglected or death. to recover them. To complete the frony of the situation, they were pur- are seldom raised for fighting par- audible voice and only a few species chased by a Hebrew, who now wears them in the streets of Algiers and exhibits them to all his friends.

Dr. Hale an LL.D. Dr. Edward Everette Hale is now an LL. D. of Williams College, from which his father graduated just 100 years ago. The doctor read an extract from his parent's graduating address, which dwelt with the question "Has at once beset by interviewers, who There Been a Progressive Improveusked the usual questions. "What ment in Society in the Last Fifty that a century ago the boys appeared to be wrestling with the same problems as are now discussed.

ONE HUNDRED FOR AN ECG.

Not often does the price of a single

As game fowl they are great fighters. Those who have seen them in In-

Life in America.

A Modest Englishman,

Like the traditional Englishman, Arthur Stanley, Dean of Westminster, wore home from his first visit to America an expression of amazement was the thing which most impressed the theatres. you in America?" was one of these. Without a moment's hesitation Dean Stanley replied: "My own ignorance."

THE SILENCE OF BUTTERFLIES.

the Legislature to enact laws for pro Mr. Max Regis Wore Golden Handensts An Indian Game Powl That is Very This Insect Represents a Truly Stlent After all, the chief charm of this race For centuries the Indian game, or lar life, their long slumber in the great cause of Nationalism. The An- Azeel fowls, have been the very apex chrysalls, or the very brief period the marmeles as souvenir bracelets for blood and pedigree have been most love making, their parentage and their It is almost impossible to procure faculty of sight or not, and do not even conspicuous organ in maturity, the antennae. Nor does it consist in thisthat they of all created things have furnished man with the symbol of his fact that, with all their varied life and activity, they represent an absolutely ray of modern knowledge has found In America, however, the game fowls no butterfly which murmurs with an poses, but for show, and as pels and which can even audibly click or rushobbies of poultry fanciers. - Country | tie with their wings. - T. W. Higginson, in Atlantic,

The Playwright's Complaint.

A popular author, who has lately turned to play writing, has 'not suc ceeded in impressing managers with the availability of his productions. which only time could effac. He was Not long ago, thinking to get some useful pointers from the current drama, he made an observation tour of

"Well," he remarked to a friend at the end of the evening. "I seem to be the only man alive who can't get a poor play put on."-Harper's Weekly.



OUEER. All records are brittle,
For, by the same token,
One can not be lowered
Without being broken.
—Catholic Standard and Times.

IN THE NEAR FUTURE. "Made a colossal fortune, you say?-"Yes. He was the first man to publish a nine-cent magazine."-Puck.

Tailor-"Do you want padded shoulders, my little man?" Willie-"Naw; pad de pants! Dat's where I need it most."-Chicago News.

CURIOSITY.

"Professor," said Mrs. Noozy, "what do you consider the most curious thing you ever saw?" "Woman, unquestionably," he plied.-Philadelphia Ledger.

A VAGUE IDEA.

Mrs. Ruralle-"Your place is so large I wonder you don't keep fowls. It is so nice to have fresh eggs every day." Mrs. Civique-"But fowls are such a bother. Why couldn't we keep an incubator instead?"-Brooklyn Life.

WHOLE NOTES,

"An American triumph? I don't understand you. None of the cast talk English, none of the orchestra, nor the conductor, nor even the manager." "That's all right. Money is what talks, and the money is American."-

Puck.

IMMUNE.

"Young man," said Rev. Goodman, "some day you'll bring your father's gray hairs in sorrow to the grave." "No danger," replied young Rakely; "he hasn't any. Worrying about me has made his head bald!"-Philadelphia Ledger.

NO COUNTIN' ON 'EM. '-

Greene-"Yes, my wife's upstairs getting ready to go out. Oh, here she comes! I'll bet anything she'll ask Aunt Jane if her hat's on straight." Mrs. Greene-"Aunt Jane, I wish you'd see if my skirt hangs even."-Boston Transcript.

BOTH IN RHODE ISLAND, \* "Do you think you can cure me, doctor?" asked the society woman. "I think so, with the help of Provi-

dence," replied the good physician, "Why not Newport? The climate there is surely the same as that of Providence."—Philadelphia Press.

AN IMMINENT DANGER.



If hats and vells get much bigger, what about the man in the middle?-Punch.

A BOY.

"See that poor afflicted boy sitting in front of you shop? No doubt his tooth is dancing with pain-an ulcerated tooth, perhaps. See how he holds his jaws with both hands and sways from side to side. Poor fellow.

"My dear, you are badly mistaken, The lad is perfectly happy. He is playing a Jew's harp."-Tit-Bits.

A CLEVER MANEUVRE.

Kirby-"That man Beatty is making money hand over fist." Klinek-"Why, I heard he put a new health food on the market and it failed

Kirby-"So it did; but be immediate. ly put up the stuff in bales and re-advertised it as Hygienic Horse Bedding,' and it's selling all over the country."-Puck.

NOT CHEAP.

to entch on."

Merchant-"She seemed to be very particular about those goods she bought."

Salesman-"Yes, she said she wanted to be sure they were the real thing; she didn't want any cheap imitation." Merchant-"But they were a cheap imitation."

Salesman-"Oh, no. I raised the price."-Philadelphia Press.

REASON TO LAUGH.

Bangs-"Funny about you. You. laughed as though you would split at that joke in the second act; but when I told it to you a week or so ago it didn't seem to strike you as a bit comical."

Bings-"I paid money to hear tha joke at the theatre; when you told it it was not sought by me. People pay money for advice from the doctor, but have no use for gratuitous ad vice."-Boston Transcript.

MONTAUK REBISTS DYNAMITE. A UNITED STATES SENATOR

Old Monitor Is Not Easily Reduced

To Scrap. Officials at the Navy Department have been much interested in reports from Richmond regarding the breakfrom Richmond regarding the breaking up of the old monitor Montauk,
which was recently sold for scrapiron. The difficulty experienced in
tearing the old vessel to pieces is a
revelation in regard to the skill of
shipbuilders even when the metal ship
was in its infancy.

The iron sides of the Montauk will
go into the melting pot at some
foundry. Dynamite is being used in
the work, but even with this powerful
agent progress is very slow. This

agent progress is very slow. This old Civil War monitor was a forerunner of the modern steel battleships. After seeing service the Montauk went out of commission when the war closed. For many years, with other monitors, she lay at anchor in the James river, below Richmond, but about five years ago was taken to League Island Navy Yard. At the out-break of the war with Spain these vessels were made ready for service, but were never in commission. Recently the Montauk, with several other old vessels of the same type, was condemned and sold at public auction.

The Greatest Living Orator.

President Ellot is as consplcuous ly the foremost American orator of this generation as Wendell Phillips was of the last, and Webster of the one pre-ceding. His pre-eminence marks the changed temper of the public, which, though it may still be spellbound by revivalists and by political speakers. nevertheless trusts those who, like L South Carolina, was Senator from that Mr. Ellot, address its reason and not State for two terms. In a recent letter its emotions. After 35 years all class-es are more eager than ever to hear him. His voice alone, so rich, so cul-tivated, with its 'cello notes, sets him in a class by himself. At first, you may miss the purple patches which you expect the orator to supply, but on acquaintance you discover that he has the power to state a fact, which you thought commonplace or value-less, so that it shines like a jewelas if he picked up a dult pebble, and through some hidden virtue in him, it turned to opal or ruby in his hand. He never made a speech which you could not read the next day or the next year without wondering what had evaporated from it since you heard him speak it.-World's Work.

A Peculiar Accident.

A peculiar accident occurred on the Huntington and Broad Top railroad, a few miles above Cumberland, Md., A loaded coal train was descending the long grade below Petersburg when the axle of a coal car broke, wrecking it and three other cars. The four cars jumped the track and went over it and three other cars. an embankment. The rear portion rejoined the forward portion of the train at the bottom of the grade, the automatic couplers joining the train as if nothing had happened. The crew was not aware of the accident. Three miles below three more care were wrecked. The trackwalker states the train was coupled together when it passed him, but the brake rigging was dragging and this, it is supposed caused the second accident

Ruins of City Found.

More than a thousand years ago there was a great city in Central Afri-ca which was the capital of the empire of the Songhals in the Nigerian Sudan. The empire of the Songhais was the largest and most powerful black empire which ever existed. Even after the fall of the empire Kouklya was a very prominent city, but about one hundred and fifty years ago it was utterly destroyed by the Touaregs and its very site was forgotten. The Academy of Paris recently sent out a mission to discover the ruins and they have just been found by L2cutenant Desplagnes. about one hundred miles south Gogo on the banks of the Niger.

While in a carpeted room in a tenement house 75 germs settled on a three-inch saucer in five minutes, after sweeping there were 2,700.

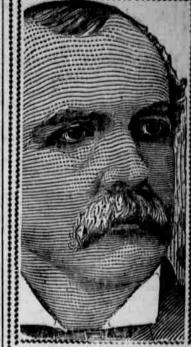
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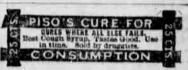


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