The American visitors to Rome are so numerous that Mgr. Kennedy, rector of the American college, is presenting about fifty of them daily to the pope.

Election of United States senators by the people is not favored by the general assembly of Connecticut as it rejected a bill to that effect by sustaining an unfavorable report.

The president has appointed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Charles P. Norton as representative of the treasury department on the central committee of the national Red Cross.

John Dunwoody, secretary and treas urer of the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator Company, for many years identified with the grain trade interests of Minneapolis, died in that city

Brig. Gen. Frederick A. Smith, the junior brigadier of the army, who has been at San Francisco on waiting or ders, was ordered to Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., to assume command of that post.

Among the three enlisted men of the navy reported to have died abroad was Henry Weed Paull of Milwaukee electrician, special service squadron who died in a hospital at St. Thomas. D. W. L.

By a vote of 84 to 54 the Missouri house of representatives passed the bill submitting a constitutional amendment providing for state-wide prohibition to a vote of the qualified electors of the state.

Profit sharing with employes and in dustrial peace were the principal sub jects for discussion at the eleventh annual convention of the National Metal Trades association at the Hotel Astor in New York.

John Barrett, director of the Inter national Bureau of American Repub lics, gave a banquet in Washington in honor of Secretary Knox, chairman and other members of the governing board of the organization.

That a combination of silk indus tries in southern France, representing \$10,000,000 of capital, will transfer their plants to this country was stated by Jean Duplan, head of a large silldye works at Hazleton, Pa.

Eugene Gardiner, who is connected with several prominent Kentucky fam flies, was acquitted of the charge of having murdered Joseph Cordez, a colored boat steerer of the whaler Bowhead at San Francisco.

To determine whether the Des Moines river can be made navigable from Des Moines to the Mississippi is the object of Maj. C. E. Riche and M. Meigs, army engineers, who are in Des Moines on orders from the war department.

Two officers of the Chilian navy have sailed from Valparaiso for the United States to study the artillery and torpedo systems of this country The Chilian government has now under consideration the purchase of guns in the United States.

Upon the request of Lieut, H. A. Evans, the secretary of the navy, ap pointed a court of inquiry to investi gate the conduct of Lient. F. W. Os born of the monitor Cheyenne. Lieut Osborn is charged by Lieut. Evans, it is said, with having been the cause of the separation between Evans and his

Court Calls Spiritualism Fraud. Washington, Apr. 16.-In dismiss

ing Pierre L. O. A. Keeler and Albert G. Hall, two mediums, because of the failure of the government to estab lish a case of conspiracy to defraud Police Judge Alexander R. Mullowny yesterday took occasion to arraign spiritualism. The court declared it was nothing but a fraud perpetrated on the public which, he said, to a certain extent had been legalized by the issuance of licenses to mediums

Old Battleship Made Over.

New York, Apr. 15.-After being out of commission for more than two years, the old battleship Massachusetts sailed out of the Brooklyn navy yard to-day with a full complement of officers and men. The vessel was built by the Cramps in 1893 and has been largely made over so that she is almost as good as the battleships of much later types.

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THE LOVES LADY ARABELLA

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At 14 years of age Admiral Sir Peter Hawkshaw's nephew fell deeply in love at first sight with Lady Arabella Stor-mont, who spurned his attentions. The mont, who spurned his attentions. The lad, an orphan, was given a berth as mid-shipman on the Alax by his uncle Glies Vernon, nephew of Sir Thomas Vernon, became the boy's pal. They attended a theater where Hawkshaw's nephew saw Lady Arabella. Vernon met Philip Overton, next in line for Sir Thomas Vernon's estate. They started a duel which was interrupted. Vernon, Overton and Hawkshaw's nephew found themselves attracted by pretty Lady Arabella. ed by pretty Lady Arabella.

CHAPTER II .- Continued.

"In a week, perhaps; possibly not for two weeks." And the surgeon de-

As soon as he was out of the room. Giles sent for pen and paper, and with the most painful effort, guiding his right hand by his left, managed to indite the following epistle to Capt. Overton:

Pheenix Inn. Portsmouth, Friday.

"Dear Str: This is to inform you that I met with a most unfortnit axerdent while coming down on the coach. My friend and messmate, the infant admiral which you saw with me, had read the story of Gebu in the Bible or Homar, I forget which, and aspired to drive four horses. Which he did, with the result that my right/arm was rentched out of place, and the rascal-ly doctor who sett it says I cannot use it for some days. This is most unfortnit, as it doings the pleasure we antissipated in our meeting. You will here from me as soon as I am recovered. The only thing witch disturbs me is that if we both go to Davy Jones', twil please that old cur-mudgin, Sir Thomas Vernon, bad luck to him. Believe me, sir, "Your much obliged and

"Most obedient servant.
"GILES VERNON.

"Mid. on H. M. S. Ajax. Giles gave me this to read, and I pointed out several mistakes he had made in spelling, although the tone of the letter was gentlemanlike, as everything was that Giles did. With great vexation and some difficulty, he added a postscript.

"P. S.-Piease excuse spelling as my arm is very paneful, G. V.

At that moment a marine from the Ajax bounced, breathless and in great excitement, into the room.

"We are to sall with the tide, tonight, sir!" he said. "The admiral passed the messenger on the road; the jib is loose, and the blue peter flying"-and out he ran, to notify the other absentees.

Giles seized the paper, and added laboriously:

"P. S. No. 2. I am just enformed that Blue Peter is flying from the Ajax, and that, my dear sir, signifies that we are about to sail. Our meeting must be postponed, for god knose when we eat fresh butter again. But you shall

And that night we sailed with the tide.

CHAPTER III.

We were ordered to join Sir John Jervis' fleet in the Mediterranean without the loss of a day, and, when the tide served at nine o'clock that night, Sir Peter Hawkshaw was ready for it. The officers, who knew Sir Peter's capacity for picking up his anchors at short notice, were generally prepared, and were but little surprised at the sudden departure of the ship. The men, however, are never to go, and the ship was beom the time she showed the r until she set her topsails, al crowd of bumboat women. ves, tavern-keepers, shop deal-I the people with whom Jack d who are loath to part with easons of love or money. Alof the stores were on board, e market supplies to get, and dipmen were in the boats conatil the last boat was hoisted the music called the men stan bars. It was a brilliant night, a good breeze was and the Ajax got under way nusual spread of sail. As we it the narrow entrance into the wind freshened and the took her majestic way he fleet, a mountain of caning from rail to truck. The days I was overcome, as it my new life and its duties. midshipmen, junior to mybutt of the cockpit. We of you. t of our spare time expressitals. Giles Vernon was still it until we met the coach door. the dearest object of my admiration I was revolving in my mind whether saine the fish saying to the anglers: and affections-always excepting that I could venture to ask of the welfare. Take me while I am in the humor; divinely beautiful Lady Arabella. But of the divine Arabella, and suddenly but they take no notice of it, and this was rather the admiration of a a direct inspiration came to me. I re-often attempt the feat when they are glowworm for a star. I had no one marked-with blushes and tremors, I not. It is little use trying to catch else to love except Giles, and even a must admit: midshipman must love something.

tween Giles and Overton. Youth has a very beautiful young lady." no future, as it has no past.

great-uncle, the admiral. He was a marked: \ very strict disciplinarian, probably be- Yes, yes, Arabella is like my lady. cause he was used to discipline at except not half so handsome. Egad, home, and busied himself more with when I married Lady Hawkshaw, I the conduct of the ship than the cap- had to cut my way, literally with my tain liked. The other midshipmen at sword, through the body guard of gen leged that there was no love lost be- Hensen who wanted her. And as for tween Cupt. Guilford and the admiral, her relations-well, she defied 'emand the captain had been heard to say that's all." that having an admiral on board was I tried, with all the little art I like having a mother-in-law in the possessed, to get some information house. Nevertheless, Sir Peter was a concerning Arabella out of Sir Peter; fine seaman, and the gunroom joke but beyond telling me what I knew was that he knew how to command, before—that she was his great-niece from having learned how to obey un- on the other side of the house and first der Lady Hawkshaw's iron rule.

to meet the French, was a great lie. of a sanguine nature. At five o'clock I presented myself, I found Sir Peter unbent as the dething I noted in the cabin was a large | not for a moment imply that he was portrait of Lady Hawkshaw as a excessive in his drinking. Only, the young woman. She must have been mellow glow which pervades an Engvery handsome.

turning to the steward, said: "Soup," me if I was glad I had joined the out of fresh vegetables then, and it great sincerity; impressed upon me was pea soup, such as we had in the By good fortune in getting in a ship cockpit. Sir Peter grumbled a little at of the line in the beginning, and gave it, and it was soon removed and a leg | m- some admirable advice. I left him of pork brought on; a pig had been with a feeling that I had a friend in killed that day.

"Aha!" sniffed Sir Peter, delighted-"This is fine. Nephew, you have no pig in the gunroom to-day."

Which was true; and Sir Peter helped me liberally, and proceeded to do the same by himself. The steward, however, said respectfully:

"Excuse me, Sir Peter, but in the in-Lady Hawkshaw before sailing, sir, by a long-drawn-out "Ph-cw!" she particularly desired me to request you not to eat pork, as it always dis- ficer in the ship who would be likely agreed with you."

'Wh-wh-what!" roared Sir Peter. "I am only repeating Lady Hawkshaw's message, sir," humbly responded the man; but I thought I saw, under all his humility, a sly kind of defiance. Sir Peter had no fear of either round, grape, or double-headed shot, and was indifferent to musketry fire. Likewise, it was commonly said of him in the service that if he were ordered to attack hell itself, he would



He Turned His Back Every Time Sir Peter Filled His Glass.

stand on until his lib caught fire; but neither time nor distance weak-

then at the leg of pork, and, suddenly although there was an echo of earnestjumping up, seized the dish and threw ness in his intimation that he would it, pork and all, out of the stern win- kill any man who aspired to marry dow. As I had secured my portion, I Lady Arabella. could view this with equanimity.

steward said nothing, but Sir Peter topgallant sails, and expecting daily let it pass with a groan. It seemed to and hourly to run across a Frenchme that everything appetizing in the man. We were hoping for it, because dinner was passed by Sir Peter, in re- we found the Ajax to be a very weathsponse to a peculiar kind of warning erly ship and fast for her class; and glance from the steward. This man, both Capt. Guilford and Sir Peter, who I heard afterward, had sailed with him had sailed in her before, knew exmany years, and was understood to be actly how to handle her. And we

roast pork, spareribs, potatoes, tur. French ship of the line off our beam; nips, anchovy with sauce, and a cus- and by the time we had made he tard. Sir Peter, however, dined off out, a light French frigate was coming pea soup and potatoes; but I observed down the wind, and in an hour we that he was his own master as far as were at it hammer and tongs with the decanters were concerned, and it both of them. occurred to me that he had made a trade with the steward, by which be was allowed this indulgence, as I no ticed the man turn his back every time Sir Peter filled his glass.

Dinner being over, the cloth removed, and the steward good the Peter appeared to be in a sum-what better humor. His first remark way.

"So you are fond of the play. Ir?" I replied that I had been but once. "The time you went with Gilea Veroined, so I was no longer the should have sailed without either one

I did not mention that the coach think how the mother will grieve eatest longing for a meeting had upset, but merely said that we over the loss of her eggs." "Oh she French, although for my own thought there was no danger of any won't care," said the boy, "she's up while I was bragging the detention, and that Giles Vernon was there in your hat." elt a sickness at the heart in no way responsible for my going magined a round shot enter- to London, as he knew nothing about

that meeting, so far in the future, be at her age! And Lady Arabella is

Sir Peter grinned like a rat-trap at Naturally, I did not see much of my this awkward compliment, and re-

cousin to Daphne, and that her father, One day the admiral's steward now dend, was a scamp and a papper, brought me a message. The admiral's lift spite of being an earl-he told me compliments, and would I dine in the nothing. Has even that seemed to great cabin at five o'clock that day? | show the great guif between us. Would I was frightened out of a year's she, with her beauty and her title, congrowth by the invitation, but of course decend to a midshipman somewhat I responded that I should be most hap. Younger than herself, and penniless? I py. This, like my professed anxiety, doubted it, though I was, in general,

trembling in every limb. The first canters grew empty, although I would lish gentleman after a few glasses of Sir Peter gave me two fingers, and good port enveloped him. He asked Soup was brought. We were mostly service-to which I could say yes with that excellent seaman, honest gentleman, and odd fish, Admiral Sir Peter Hawkshaw.

When I went below, I told my messmates all that had occurred, rather exaggerating Sir Peter's attentions to me, as midshipmen will. Then privately I confided to Giles Vernon. I told what little I had found out concernterview I had the honor to have with Arabella, to which Giles responded ing the star of my soul, as I called

I implored him, if he knew any ofto be acquainted with Lady Arabella, to pump him for me. This he promised; and the very next day, as I sat on a locker, studying my theorems, Giles came: up:

"Dickey," said he, "Mr. Buxton knows the divine Arabella. She has a fortune of £30,000, and so has the dove-eyed little Daphme, all inherited from their granddad, a rich Bombay merchant. It seems that Lady Arabella's mother bought a coronet with her money, and it turned out a poor bargain. However, the earl did not live long enough to ruin his father-inlaw; and little Daphne's parents, too, died young, so the old Bombay man left the girls his fortune, and made Sir Peter their guardian, and that means, of course, that Polly Hawkshaw is their guardian. Mr. Buxton says he would like to see the fortunehunter who can rob Polly of those two damsels. For Polly says rank and lineage are not everything. She herself, you know, dates back to the Saxon Heptarchy, though she did marry the son of your drysalting greatgrandfather. And she wants those girls to marry men; and what Polly says on that score is to be respected, considering that she married into a drysalting family to please herself, or to displease her relations, I don't know which. I should say, though, if you are honest and deserving, and mind your book, and get a good word from the chaplain, you will probably one day be the husband of little Daphne, but not of Lady Arabella; no man shall marry her while I live, that you may be sure of; but when I marry her,

you may be side-boy at my wedding." I thought this speech very cruel of ened the authority over him of Lady Giles Vernon, and believed that he did not know what true love was, else Sir Peter glared at the steward and he could not so trifle with my feelings,

We were three weeks in the Bay of The next dish was spareribs. The Biseay, thrashing to windward under an emissary of Lady Hawkshaw's. were to have our wish. For one even-We had, besides the pea soup and ing toward suntset, we sighted a

CTO BE CONTINUED.)

Woman, the Illogical. Woman is not only barbarous-she

s illogical and inconsistent as well, remaked a man of letters to a writer the New Orleans Times-Democrat. I was walking in the country one day with a young woman. In a grove we came upon a boy about to shin up a tree. There was a next in the tree, and from a certain angle it was possinon. If the coach had broken dawn wicked little boy," said my companble to see in it three eggs. between London and Portsmanth, we lon, "are you going up there to rob that nest?" "I am," replied the boy How can you?" she exclaimed

How to Fish.

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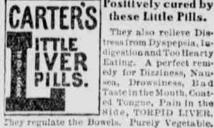
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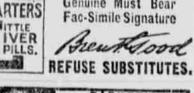


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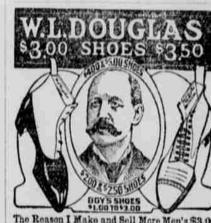
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