Chapter XV .- Continued.

fumery of flowers.

class know all the wrinkles of Fifth rushing into the house of their masavenue or the boulevards of Paris. As ter. the pretended driver hands the ladies identity, but Dora looks at him closely -Dora, whose eyes are so sharp that of a tiger in pursuit of his prey. little escapes them.

He does not know whether she suspects or not, but sees the ladies mount the steps, at the top of which they are met by the senora, and all vanish from

Dick looks after his horses. Several servants approach him, as though anxious to talk, but they get such short, surly answers to their questions that they soon give up trying to make the acquaintance of the boor. Thus Dick is left severely alone, which is just what he wants.

If Lopez is in this game at all, what will be his plan of action. Does he intend to strike while Pauline is under the roof of Morales, or has he bought the driver of the vehicle and expects kim to deliver the young American. who controls the El Dorado, into his

music he can hear laughter and the

be ready for anything that may take place. What was that? It sounded not unlike a woman's scream. He knows Miss Pauline is above giving vent to DP. JAKK ETC her feelings in that way, but what of Dora? Other signs warn Dick that the hour, yes, the minute, has come. He In from of the door Dick halts his remembers his promise to Bob, and team. Lights abound just here, a gives the signal whistle that is to number of colored lanterns hanging warn the other. Then, hesitating no from the trees. The music of a foun- longer, he springs up the steps of the tain can be heard close by, and the mansion, two at a time. A voice calls air is heavy with the intoxicating per- after him, but he ignores the fact. Perhaps some of the Morales retainers A carpet has been laid upon the are there, and amazed to see one they steps, for these Mexicans of the upper take to be the driver of a vehicle

Dick finds the doors wide open. He out, he gives no indication of his bursts into the spacious hallway where lights abound, his manner that

> There is no need of a directory to show him the way; the loud voices lead him straight to the room where an exciting drama is taking place.

As he reaches the doorway this is what meets his eyes. The room is apparently a library, and seems full of rightened and with Professor John ime pouring his story of devotion into her ear. Senora Morales has sunk back upon a divan, while her husband stands before her, his face expressing shame at being connected with a scheme to harm his wife's guest.

In the middle of the room stands the central figure-Pauline Westerly. Two men hold her, and it is well they do, for she has a small revolver in her hand, and would do some of her

The time wears on. Between the enemies harm if given the chance. The men who thus lay sacrilegious sound of voices, as though the in- hands upon the brave American girl mates of the house are having a are Senor Lopez and one of his folpleasant time. Dick smiles grimly, lowers, Although there are a number He is quite content to stand on guard of Mexican gentlemen present, not of the lightning. while the girl he loves enjoys herself one raises a hand to help beauty in



Meets His Assailants with His Fists.

It gives him a thrill to think that he | distress, which is positive proof that may be in a measure looked upon as they are all in the same boat; like her protector.

Then his thoughts fly in another firection. Has Bob kept his promise, and does he crouch just outside the dalgo. walls, ready to respond to a signal should there be any need of his fact. If Bob has declared his intenforces of nature and man cannot debar him. Besides there is a magnet war upon women, and this feeling is here that must draw him.

Once Dick catches a voice that causes him to elevate his eyebrows. remain riveted upon that inspired So the little professor, who has come face. With such an incentive he to Mexico to burrow in new realms of would dare anything on earth, nor science and make known to the world | could be be daunted. her wealth in animal life, is present.

This fact causes Dick to believe ness is a deep-laid scheme on the the carrying out of the hidalgo's bly causes Pauline to be seated. schemes. Dick moves nearer, so that he may examine the house and its approaches. If Morales is in the game, of course that is no reason his wife knows aught about it; her influence

that they are having refreshments of the document. above. One of the servants invites him to join them in cake and pulque, but Dick refuses and continues to smoke while he keeps up his vigil, knowing that if he once gets among a lot of native Mexicans they will soon penetrate his disguise.

So he waits. The drama will soon make another turn unless his calculations are all astray. He feels for his weapons now and then, not that he is anxious to use them, but their presence gives him confidence in his power to protect

If Morales has been drawn into the plot he must have entered it heart and soul, and once in, will give himself over to the service of Lopez without reserve, so that all the forces under his control will be turned against the

The hour grows late. Dick consults his watch and finds it is after eleven. They have been having such a good time inside the house that perhaps they do not notice the lapse of hours. More than once he sees Pauline in a window, and fease his eyes upon her. Not a pang of jea ousy passes into his heart when he ses her in the company of one w',o seems to be a Mexican officer, judging from his military dress, for Dick is already sure of the hold he has upon Miss Westerly's regard. Like a faithful watch-dog he waits; and the opportunity comes at

even the laughter comes only at intervals. Ferhaps the ladies are about ready to go home; if so, the crucial

Morales, they have a deep interest in

in the power of the cunning old hi-All this constitutes a dramatic scene Dick will never forget to his services? He knows the Sheriff of dying day. His first glance is at the Secora county too well to doubt this girl's face-how her eyes seem to fairly burn as they turn upon the old tion to do a certain thing, all the Mexican don. She feels an utter contempt for a man who would stoop to

> shown in her glorious orbs. Dick catches his breath as his eves

"This time we have you, my lady manager, and we do not mean to let more than ever that the whole busi- you escape until you have placed your signature to this paper. Jose, place part of Lopez. Perhaps Morales is in it on the table-the pen-the ink. his power. The grandee diplomat may Now," twisting the little revolver from cwh a goodly share in the El Dorado, her hand, "sit down and sign, Miss so that he is financially interested in Westerly," and the senor almost forci-

Will she sign? Dick is ready to spring forward, if he sees her about to give way. She takes the paper in her hands and reads-every eye is bent upon her-she slowly picks up may have been secured and she quite the pen, digs it in the ink, and, as Dick takes a step forward, draws a Still the time passes. He can see heavy black cross over the entire face

### CHAPTER XVI.

## Locking Horns.

Exclamations burst out on all sides. and more than one Mexican oath is heard. Lopez looks as black as a thunder-cloud, though he smiles in a cruel way, as only a Mexican can.

"Ah! you will give us the trouble to make out a new document. It is easily done. Understand, you go not forth until you have signed. This time there is no dashing cowboy to fly to your rescue; we have looked after him, senorita. If you refuse to sign, this night sees his death."

Here is a new factor brought to hear-her love for Dick. It may influence her more than anything else The man in the door-way hears this threat with a feeling of rage; he can restrain himself but little longer, and then a Texan cloud-burst will sweep into that library, threatening to over come all before it.

"You are cruel; you are contempt ble! What has any one else to do with my business? You would scruple at nothing in order to further your designs," she cries.

"That is just where you are right, senorita." gloats the hidalgo, seeing signs of relenting.

"She gives in! we have won!" exclaims more than one among those "You are wrong: I will not sign:

change within-the music ceases, and Mr. Denver is capable of looking after himself," comes her answer, and the expectant faces darken again.

"Then nothing remains but force. You have said I am cruel; you compel

prisoner, Senorita Pauline Westerly; a prisoner whose fate depends upon her discretion in writing her name. Jose! Sancho! once more lay hold upon our fair captive."

"Hands off, there!"

These words come in a roar: the steam-gauge has burst under the tremendous strain, a human cyclone rushes through the door-way, and up to the men who are about to obey their friend and master, by laying hands upon the girl who dares defy

his will. Upon them Dick Denver plunges with all the speed of a wild-cat engine. and when the impact has come two Mexican gentlemen are seen flying in as many different directions with an impetus that is alarming, while their impelling power, the man who has come upon the scene thus suddenly. stands there, facing the whole roomful of people.

Pauline sees, she comprehends, she gasps, in a happy delirium:

"Thank Heaven! It is my hero, it

The storm that races down the Sierra Madres through arroyo and barranca, cutting woods and chaparral in its way, does not produce more consternation than the coming of this human hurricane, before which Jose and Sancho have gone down in con-

Senor Lopez starts back in alarm: his crafty black eyes are fixed upon the face of the man he sees the driver who was hired to serve him. There is Dora, looking looks further, and discovers more.

"The accursed Americano!" ndeavoring to calm her at the same hisses his swarthy face expressing the utmost rage, for already has Dick Denver played havoc with his plans. and a man of his fiery temper cannot stand being balled.

Dick knows he is in the midst of men who have reason to hate him; he believes that more than one carries a cuchillo that they would willingly hantize in his blood, consequently, after having sent the two men into different corners, with his firsts, he draws out something that will go farther, something with which a man can overtake an enemy who may be fleeing from him, and fifty feet away, since a bullet is gifted with the wings

"Gentlemen all, this lady is under my protection; I mean to see her safely to her hotel, and the man who interferes does it at his peril! I am an American, Dick Denver is my name, and any one who wants satisfaction will find me at the Iturbe. Now stand back, every one.

"Oh. Mr. Denver!"

"Come, Miss Pauline, we must leave this inhospitable house" he cries.

"Mercy!" moans the wretched senora, whose hospitality has been so abused by her husband, one of the worst things a Spaniard could do. (To Be Continued.)

### THE PLOT THAT FAILED.

Governor Found Himself in a Predicament and Schemed to Squirm Out of It.

A couple of years ago a governor of one of the southern states went to Palm Beach, Florida, for a short holiday. He registered at one of the magnificent hotels and was assigned to a luxurious suite of rooms. He was comortably installed, relates Lippincott's, when a friend came in to call on him "This is a wonderful apartment they

have given you," said the visitor. the El Dorado, and besides, must be "Why, yes," replied the governor, "I've never enjoyed such luxury in my life. Never saw such a place! They just showed me to these rooms, suppose they'll charge me?"

> "Well, governor," answered other, "I happen to know about that. The last man, a railroad president from New York, paid \$75 a day for these very rooms."

"Scissors to grind," cried the unfortunate politician, "I've only got \$50. I'll have to leave at once. But look here, Jim, I don's want to con ess I can't pay for at least one day so you go down to the station and telegraph me to come home at once. I will meet you at the station within an hour." When the governor arrived at the

station he found the friend waiting as he had arranged. "You got my telegram all right?"

"Got it!" said the governor in a despairing voice, "I should say so. I believe I am the unluckiest man alive. Why, when I went to ask for my bill what do you suppose the clerk said? He told me there was no bill-said they would be honored if I stay a year!

### CLOTHES HELP CIVILIZE. Philippine Savages Were Made Peace

able by Introduction of Them.

"Why do you want this, and what do you come here for, anyhow?" questioned, at one of these meetings, the old sultan of Bayabao, writes R. L. Bullard in Atlantic, after I had just finished dealing out quinine to him and his begging retinue one raw, rainy day. "We are satisfied as we are," he added, vehemently, as he sat shivering in bare feet, thin shirt, and flimsy trousers before me, well, warmly, and dryly clad.

"Have you such shoes and clothes as to warm your body and protect your feet? Oh have you such medicines as I ciation. have just given you to cure your sickness?" I answered. "Do you know how to make them?" He was silent and the great crowd listened. "We do, and have come to show you. That is why."

To this day he and his people have not fought the Americans, nor resisted their government.

No More Swinging.

Mother Monkey-What's the matter, dear? . Why are you crying? Little Monk-The teacher told me I'd evolute into a human being some day and I'll have to lose my tail .-Detroit Free Press.

All Over.

"What's the matter, Jack? You look cut up." "I am. You know, I came 300 miles to see Miss Hardcastle. Well, I called on her last night, and, by mistake. sent up my pawn ticket instead of my

# The American National **Red Cross Association**

Help When Warring Elements Bring Suffering as Well as in Times That Nations War-Practical Business Methods.

series of campaigns-beginning with so few little could be done to relieve the forest fires in Michigan and end- the suffering, dead and wounded must

How full of meaning the words poor in funds and members, its affairs "Red Cross." They bespeak human- had been somewhat loosely conducted. itarianism, those wearing the badge By an act of congress passed a year are given right of way wherever emer- ago (1974), the American National gency calls for quick relief, ready re- Red Cross was newly organized. It sponse of medical skill and nurse's is now incorporated under the laws aid. We hear the San Franciscans of the District of Columbia and is were somewhat irritated that Presi- brought directly under government dent Roosevelt should have doubted supervision. Among other members the people of their stricken city would of the board of incorporators, the be equal to organization and conduct charter provides that five are to be of relief work, for a moment felt un- chosen from the departments of state, ready to bid welcome to the Red Cross war, navy, tresury and justice. The official sent out to take charge of con- Hon. William H. Taft, secretary of tributions; but the president imme- war, navy, treasury and justice. The diately gave assurance that turning Red Cross, and Surgeon General Wilover authority to the Red Cross as- liam K. van Reypen, U. S. N., retired, sociation was merely intended to fill is the chairman of the central coma gap, an emergency measure, the or- mittee. A disbursing officer of the war ganization brought to the fore that department now audits the accounts." people might feel their gifts were to It was a Swiss gentleman, Henri be disbursed by experienced hands, by Dunant, who founded the great Red business-like methods. This assur- Cross work. A man of wealth, he ance, and the attitude of Dr. Devine, was traveling with his servant in the Red Cross representative, at once northern Italy at the time of the puts matters on an amiable footing, dreadful battle of Solferino (June 24, city and Red Cross are to act in har- 1859), when 300,000 men faced each other in deadly array, when France Miss Clara Barton, the organizer of bought her victory at the cost of the first American Red Cross society, 17,000 men, the killed and wounded is now well up in years, and some Austrians numbered 20,000. The time ago it was thought best that a morning after the "glorious victory" younger person assume the responsi- the sun rose on a sight of indescribbilities of president. Through a long able horrors, ambulances and doctors



DR. DEVINE, RED CROSS REPRESENTATIVE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

I've been wondering if they realized ing with the Galveston disaster-Miss be uncared for. M. Dunant was so that I was a poor man. What do you Barton had directed the activities of impressed with the dreadful spectacle the society in a work of much benefi- he determined to take some step to cence; "large sums of money, contrib- waken the nations to the need of oruted by the public, were usefully ex- ganized volunteer aid. He traveled pended; human suffering was ane i- from court to court in Europe, and as ated in many widely separated fields; a result of his efforts a conference and thousands of people were helped was held in Geneva in 1863, the folto get on their feet after they had lowing year the convention was ratibeen stricken down by catastropnes fied by the high signatory powers;

beneacence of the work done, criti- the protection of hospital work, all cism began to be heard of a lack of hospitals to be indicated by a certain business methods in the Red Cross flag, a red cross on a white ground. work, chief among the criticisms the Shortly after the institution of the deciaration of the society's failure to Red Cross its beneficence was called make and publish properly audited into play. In the war of 1866 nearly statements of receipts and disburse- 14,000 wounded Austrians were cared ments. During the Spanish war a for by the Prussian society of the Red number of business men in New York, Cross, and in the Franco-Prussian wishing to cooperate with the Red war the Red Cross had 25,000 beds in Cross work, offered to give the so- towns between Dusseldorf and Baden ciety all the moneys collected if Miss alone. It was while helping on the Barton would allow them to send a battlefield in the last named war that representative to Cuba to supervise Miss Barton, one of the best nurses expenditures and audit accounts. of our civil war, realized the need for Their proposition was declined, and organizing a Red Cross society in

the business men decided to organize America, and on her return home she what became known as the New York laid the matter before President Gar-Hed Cross Auxidiary, the organization field, himself a soldier and cognizant controlling its own expenditures and of conditions in time of war. Withat the end publishing a detailed ac- out undue delay the American Red count thereof.

It was at this time the suggestion outside the miseries of war, this orwas made, with all the tact possible, ganization has for its prime object that Miss Barton resign the post she the relief of the suffering. Muskets had so long honored and her place be and cannon may be shent for awhile, taken by ap ractical business man, but the Miss Barton appeared to think favor- and wi ably of the suggestion at first, but time. later decided not to retire, obtained a been charter from congress and reorgan- calle ized the society. From now on the public were made aware of serious increase of friction—details need not • In the year 1890 Germany sent be entered into; suffice it to say the about \$10,710,000 in silks to the Unitpublic rejoiced when discord ceased, a ed States, and Japan sent \$1,190,000 bill was passed incorporating the worth. In 1994-05 Germany sent American National Red Cross asso-

An editorial in the Outlook, calling attention to the first annual meeting of the reorganized society, makes this comment of the need there had been for reorganization: "The American Red Cross was organized in 1882. For more than 20 years it has led an active existence. How far short it has come of the objects for which it was organized was seen, more than ever before, in 1904, comparing it with other branches of the International Red Cross. Leaving out of calculation doctors, nurses, hospitals and materials, in the item of funds alone the Italian society reported in that year over \$800,000, the German society over \$900,000, the Austrians over \$1,700,000. the French over \$1,800,000, and the peoples alreatty dinks." Japanese over \$4,000,000. Ours reported \$1,702! As the Japanese society was largest in material resources, so it was also largest in membershipover 800,000 adherents; our member ship was 123! Despite its useful work the American Red Cross was not only miles.

of nature or the operations of war." provision made for reforms in the Waite by no means minimizing the treatment of the injured in battle, for

Cross society was organized. "Even arring elements, fire, water may cause suffering at any With this in view there has dded to the original what is the American amendment.

Silk from Japan.

about \$4,998,000 of silk goods to the United States, while Japan sent \$5 .-593,000 worth. Japanese exports of silk goods have tripled within ten years, increasing from \$7,470,000 in 1895 to \$22,410,000 in 1904.'05, and the ascending movement continues.

Der Reason Vy.

"Then, Mr. Dingendiefer, the wisest man is the one who always says what is already in the people's minds, eh? 'No sir. I dink dot iss so not. Ve might dink he iss der visest man, but dot vouldn'd make it so. Der vise man iss der von vot say der real vise dings, vedder der peoples applause him or not. Dot's der goot bolitician, dhough, vot says der dings vot der

Russia's Area Russia in Europe has an area of 2,000,000 square miles. This is 23 times the size of Great Britain. Russia has an area of 5,000,000 square

LOCOMOTIVES.

Steps Which the Great Railroads Are Taking to Install the New Motive Power-Cheaper, Cleaner and Better.

A few years ago when some one had the boldnes to propound the question: "Will the electric railway motor supplant the steam locomotive?" it excited a smile of amused incredulity among railroad men, and nothing more, but the developments of recent years has clearly demonstrated that electricity is about to give the steam locomotive a fight to a finish, with the odds in favor of the former motive

It was in 1888 that the first street car was successfully pulled through the streets of Richmond, Va., by an electric motor, and from that humble beginning it has widened its sphere of usefulness until it has not only become the motive power on suburban and interurban lines, but many electric roads have been built to parallel steam lines, and has shown itself a dangerous rival, for whereas the first electric cars were equipped with a 15-horse power motor, cars are now built up to 400 and 500-horse power. Railroad companies are notoriously

conservative in their business methods, but as every new electrical triumph meant another incroachment upon the steam locomotive, these advances became so persistent that at last the railroad companies were forced to take notice in self-defense. And now practically every trunk line railroad company has begun the installation of electricity on its lines, or is making preparations to take this step in the immediate future.

The New York Central railroad is equipping its main line with an electric system to run trains from the Grand Central station in New York up into the state as far as Albany. At a recent meeting of the directors it was decided to issue \$150,000,000 additional stock to be used in extending their lines in New York by electric roads.

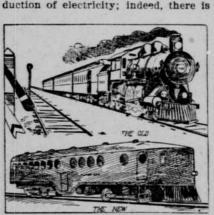
The Pennsylvania rai road has for some time operated electric trains on its Long Island division, and this w rk is now being constantly extended. The same company recently made another contract for the electrical equipment of its line from Philadelphia to Atlantic City. These lines, as is well known, have heretofore been operated by some of the finest trains that ever ran on this continent, and at a speed not ex-

The New York, New Haven & Hartford recently contracted for 30 electric locomotives to be installed on their line between New York and Stamford. Conn. They have already begun to equip some of their main tracks electrically. The power house, where the electric current is to be generated, is weil under way, and before long elecric express trains will run on a regular daily schedule.

The Erie railroad is the next road which will introduce electricity on part of its main line, and once the start has been made there, the Gould roads will naturally fall into line.

The Grand Trunk line recently contracted for electric power to operate its lines under the St. Clair river between Detroit and Windsor.

The Illinois Central railroad is making similar preparations for the intro-



TYPE OF NEW MOTOR CAR BEING IN-STALLED ON UNION PACIFIC.

not a steam railroad man in the country who would have pooh-poohed the idea five years ago that will not tell you now that the electric railway era has dawned and that the electric locomotive is the coming propelling agent

for railroad trains. The officials of the Union Pacific have been experimenting at Omaha with the road's new motor car, No. 7 which is just out of the shops. The design somewhat resembles an airship on wheels, with a door in the center of the body instead of on the sides, and high, round windows. The car is said to be an improvement over the previous cars, in that special provisions have been made for climbing grades. The system of ventilation is pronounced to be superior, and the car

to be dustproof. The following information as to the car's performances is furnished by an

official of the road: The first trial run made to Valley. and back developed good climbing ability over the grades and a speed of 40 miles an hour with ease. The officials were much pleased and believe that the final result of these experiments, which are not yet completed, will show this car to be the most satisfactory car of the kind that has been built up to this time.

At a conservative estimate there are now about \$500,000,000 appropriated by various railroad companies' throughout this country to be used in the purchase of electrical machinery.

Through the Ice.

"Well, well, and what did your father whip you for, little boy?" asked the wise old man. "Fur swimmin', I guess," blubbered the urchin.

"Wnat! You didn't go swimmin: this weather?" "No. I went skatin', but I wound us swimmin'."-Philadelphia Press.

Decision Approved "I see that trials by phones have en pronounced illegal." "Glad of it. I've been severely tried

by mine."-Phi!edelphia Ledger.

London saloon keepers say that they are likely to be driven out of business whenever a large Jewish population settles in their neighborhood. The RAPIDLY SUPPLANTING STEAM Jews are reported to be much more abstemious in the use of liquors than

No Good.

Christians.

A father in England is never much good at a wedding. He is usually cross and commercial; thinking of what the job will cost him .- London Opinion and To-day.

### For Healthful Existence.

A sunny, cheerful view of life-resting on truth and fact, co-existing with practical aspirations ever to make things, self and men better than they are-that, I believe, is the true healthful poetry of existence.

### Already Perfect.

Let no man venture to lay hand on Shakespeare's works thinking to improve anything essential; he will be sure to punish himself. - A. W. Schlegel.

## WORST CASE OF ECZEMA.

Spread Rapidly Over Body-Limbs and Arms Had to Be Bandaged-Marvelous Cure by Cuticura.

"My son, who is now twenty-two years of age, when he was four months old began to have eczema on ais face, spreading quite rapidly until he was nearly covered. We had all the doctors around us, and some from larger places, but no one helped him a particle. The eczema was something terrible, and the doctors said it was the worst case they ever saw. At times his whole body and face were covered, all but his feet. I had to bandage his limbs and arms; his scalp was just dreadful. A friend teased me to try Cuticura, and I began to use all three of the Cuticura Remedies. He was better in two months; and in six months he was well. Mrs. R. L. Risley, Piermont, N. H., Oct., 24, 1905."

The man who is too good for anything is often good for nothing.

Torture of Women.

It was a terrible torture that Mrs. Gertie McFarland, of King's Mountain. N. C., describes, as follows: "I suffered dreadful periodical pain, and became so weak I was given up to die, when my husband got me Wine of Cardui. The first dose gave relief, and with 3 bottles I am up doing my work. I cannot say enough in praise of Cardui." A wonderful remedy for women's ilis. At druggists; \$1.00.

He who lays out each day with prayer leaves it with praise.

Try Garfield Tea! It purifies the blood, leanses the system, brings good health.

The wisdom from above will be

known by its works below. U. S. NAVY enlists for four years young men of good character and sound physical condition between the ages of 17 and 25 as apprentice seamen; opportunities for advancement; pay \$16 to \$70 a month. Electricians, machinists, black-miths. a month. Electricans, machinists, blick-smiths, coppersmit's, yeomen (cierks), carpenters, shipfitters, firemen, musi-cians, cooks, etc., between 21 and 35 years enlisted in special ratings with suitable pay; hospital apprentices 18 to 28 years. Retirement on three-fourths pay and al-lowances after 30 years service. Appli-cants must be American citizens. full particulars address Navy R Station. Postoffice Building, Oma or Navy Recruiting Station, BLOCK, 12th and O Sts., Lines

eousness by his reticence. Lewis' Single Binder Cigar has a rich Your dealer or Lewis' Factory,

Righteousness is never better for

A Strange Story.

taking a rest.

Mrs. Isaac W. Austill, of Chestnut Ridge, N. C., tells a strange story of creat suffering. "I was in bad condition for months, but got no relief. My periods had stopped, all but the pain. After taking part of a bottle of Wine of Cardui, nature worked properly and without pain. I advise all suffering women to use Cardui." A oure specific remedy for women's illa. \$1.00, at druggists.

## RICHARD MANSFIELD'S PHIL-

OSOPHY. We have now the production which is all scenery, costumes, mechanics,

humbugs and cheap l'terature.

We are altogether too prone to think evil of our neighbors and to try to do them evil. We scowl too much; we smile too little. Well bred people nowadays dine at

home before they go to a dinner party, and then rush off after dinner to an unloving game of bridge. In certain sections of New York City the sun never penetrates to the

streets, and the germs, therefore, are not destroyed by its beneficial rays. When hats and indifference have killed love, this earth will become as cold as the moon, and there will be

nothing living but a few big, cold, slimy, bloodless slugs. When you have climbed to the ton of the hill, if you keep on going you must go down the other side, or else turn around and go down the side you have climbed up, or else sit down on

top and freeze. It is very difficult to keep on striking twelve every night. The bell tongue wears out after awhile .- Chi-

