

THE LISTENER.

Congressman Charles Curtis of Topeka has some Indian blood in his veins. The fencing champion of Germany has been won by Dr. Edward Brock of the Boston Fencing club.

SWEETS.

In India sugar is reduced by the use of 11 boilers, the juice being poured from one to another until it has become a stiff molasses.

THE TATTLE.

Mme. Eulalie de Villeroi, who died in Philadelphia recently at the age of 97, was a niece of Stephen Girard.

TRACK AND PADDOCK.

Arctic B, 2-17 1/2, is dead. He was 19 years old. Madrid's price at the Pepper dispersal was \$25.

THE TATTLE.

Miss Beatrice Hoyt of New York is the woman champion golf player of the United States.

Battle-Ax PLUG The ripest and sweetest leaf and the purest ingredients are used in the manufacture of "Battle Ax," and no matter how much you pay for a much smaller piece of any other high-grade brand, you cannot buy a better chew than "Battle Ax."

John Mackay, the California mining millionaire, has ordered a new Greenwald cemetery, New York, the erection of a \$400,000 mausoleum over the grave of his son.

Medical authorities declare that the glucose employed in the manufacture of chewing gum is unwholesome, as a large consumption of it tends to produce diabetes.

At a recent meeting of the vestry of St. George's, Southwark, London, Miss A. Elliot of Lancashire was appointed sanitary inspector to the vestry by 22 votes to 16.

Queen Victoria, 2-13 1/2, by Roy Wilkes, is the old time favorite of the Highland Mary, 2-26, by Pochontas boys.

While going down the steps to the cellar recently Miss Carrie Adams of Washoe, Nev., encountered a large adder. She secured a hoe and succeeded in killing the reptile.

Claude Weingand, DEALER IN Coal Oil, Gasoline, Gas Tar, And Crude Petroleum. Leave orders at office in Broeker's tailor shop.

ROYAL PECULIARITIES.

Hadrian was the first Roman emperor to wear a beard. Henry III of Germany had a complexion so dark that he might easily have been mistaken for a negro.

CURTAIN RAISERS.

Lillian Russell will not be heard in New York until next February. The Chicago critics rate J. E. Dodson as being far above John Haro.

HUMANITY'S ILLS.

The number of persons born blind is 65 to 1,000,000. December is the most fatal month in the year for asthma.

GOWN GOSSIP.

The new, very smart, very elegant, very fashionable evening toilet has a train. Leagues of black satin or black velvet are worn at an autumn and winter dress.

CURRENT COMMENT.

What effect will the frosts have on the scorcher? Will they wilt him?—Milwaukee Journal. The difference between kleptomaniacs and thieves is the size of the bank account.

GEO. NAUMAN'S MEAT MARKET. Meats at wholesale and retail. Fish and Game in season. Sausage at all times. Cash paid for Hides.

THE WRITERS.

Mr. Israel Zangwill is writing a series of stories which deal with the old Jewish Ghettoes of the past. Of Mr. S. R. Crockett's forthcoming novel, "The Grey Man," 35,000 copies have already been subscribed for.

FIN, FEATHER AND FUR.

Indian elephants cannot live in Central Africa, the home of a larger and more hairy species.

MEDICAL SCIENCE.

Professor Norton of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has succeeded in getting Roentgen rays to enter the liver, heart and lungs sufficiently plain to admit of medical examination.

LAW POINTS.

Where property exempt from execution is burned, the insurance is also exempt. A contract to conduct a business on shares means that the parties shall share equally.

LAW POINTS.

A creditor has an insurable interest in the life of his debtor. Damages may be recovered for injuries to reputation and business.

J. F. FILLION, Plumber, Tinworker General Repairer. Special attention given to BICYCLE REPAIRING. WHEELS TO RENT.

THE GRIDIRON.

Whether the college football team wins or loses, it always has a kick coming—New York World. What's this? Columbia not to have a football team? What sort of a university is this?—Boston Herald.

THE BIG HAT.

The girl who wears a hat at the theater in New York is sometimes herself as "not in the swim."—Philadelphia Ledger. The anti-high theater hat crusade has been renewed in nearly all the large cities of the country.

TIRE PUNCTURES.

One of the latest bicycle tires is Ezekiel 1, 21. "The spirit of the living creature was in the wheels."—Christian Register. Mrs. Charlotte Smith threatens to attack the reputations of women who ride the bicycle. Also, there are no repair shops for such damages!—New York Telegram.

LAW POINTS.

A person cannot recover of an agent the principal's share in a business in which the agent engaged in violation of his contract. If a merchant is in the condition of not being able to pay his debts in the ordinary course of his nature, he is insolvent, and is subject to all the consequences which the law attaches to insolvency.

Electric Bitters.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt.

HUMPHREYS' WITCH HAZEL OIL FOR Piles or Hemorrhoids, Fissures & Fistulas, Burns & Scalds, Wounds & Bruises, Cuts & Sores, Boils & Tumors, Eczema & Eruptions, Salt Rheum & Tetters, Chapped Hands, Fever Blisters, Sore Lips & Nostrils, Corns & Bunions, Stings & Bites of Insects. Three Sizes, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00.

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THE LADY MOUNTED HER WHEEL.

The lady mounted her wheel, A-looking just too sweet, And the villain laughed as she said "Ha, ha!" And had them sprinkle the street.

CAREFUL IN RAISING.

"True," said the mother of the dime museum dwarf, "he'd seem to talk pretty tall some times, but I brought him up short! Oh, yes!"—New York Press.

A LATER REVISION.

Count that day long, Whose low descending sun, Sees no addition made, Until they sink of none.

MECCA COMPOUND

So great are its Healing Powers and Pain-Relieving Properties that it is almost impossible from a Non-Medicinal Preparation that can be used with all freedom. For Blisters it is as effective as any other, and it is the only one that can be used for healing all kinds of sores or cuts. It is the only one that is used in every home and in every shop. Prepared by the Emory & Co. Chemists, 111 & 113 William St., New York.