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NOTED IN NEWSPAPERS.

Men Whom the World Knows to Be More or Less Famous Pierre Lorillard is a crack shot with a

pistol. The ameer of Afghanistan will visit Eng-

land this summe The senior admiral of the British navy, Sir Provo Wallis, is 100 years old.

Alfred Brennan, the artist, is the champion pistol shot in New York.

Rear Admiral Heneage has forbidden his officers to wear colored shirts under their conts

Henry T. Coxwell, the balloonist, is 70 years of age, and has made 700 voyages in the air Herbert Spencer's health is improving, but

he never expects to do much work. Sleeplessness and nervous exhaustion are his bane, but his doctors are more hopeful. Ex-President Rutherford B. Hayes is said to have dramatized Scott's "Lady of the

Lake" when a boy of 10, and before he was 12 he had read through all the plays of Shakestrentre.

Ex-Governor Berry, of New Hampshire, who is now in his 92d year, organized the first temperance society in that state at Hebron, sixty-two years ago.

The oldest pensioner on the rolls of the United States pension office is John Batchelder, the dependent father of Samuel Batchelder, late of Company D, Fifty-third Illinois infantry. He is 103 years of age,

Ex-Senator Powell Clayton, of Arkansas, has made all his fortune since the war At the close of the hostilities he had hardly a dollar in the world, but rented an abandoned Arkansas plantation, and in less than ton years he made \$1,000,000.

Gen. Boulanger goes to the barber once week, pays the artist ten frames and gives five frames to the assistant. He never speaks, and the barber, knowing his preference, does not presume to open a conversa-The shop is near the Louvre. tion.

Marshall Field, the Chicago dry goods nerchant, has a fortune of \$30,000,000. He the most successful dealer in dry goods in this country since the days of A. T. Stewart. His old partner, L. Z. Leiter, who now lives in Washington, is worth \$10,000,000.

The Mormon hierarchy is said to pay Mr. A. M. Gibson a salary of \$10,000 a year to look after the intersts of Zion at Washington. He is a square shouldered, serious faced gentloman, dignified in manner and reticent in meech, and used to be a newspaper man.

Some time ago the Zil-es-Sultan (the hadow of the Sultan), the eldest son of the shah of Persia, was degraded from his post of ruler of almost half the empire and the command of a separate army. It is now discovered that he had leanings toward England and the shah's course was in consequence of intrigues by Russia.

Sarah K. Bolton describes Will Carleton as "a tall, vigorous looking man, who believes in outdoor exercise, especially walking, who is fond of rowing, sailing and horseback riding, who uses no stimulants, who is kindly in manner yet decided in character, who honors womanhood and all that is pure and elevating. and who is fond of music, playing on several instrume

King Oscar of Sweden recently called on the pope, and instead of kissing his hand, as is his custom, kissed him soundly on both cheeks, to the surprise of the courtiers. It was the greatest shock the traditions of the Vatican had received since Gen. Grant shook hands with Pius IX and said: "How do you do, sir"

The Duke of Sutherland is conceded to be the best performer of the Highland fling in the whole of Scotland. His grace recently touches the line at dined with the duke of Edinburgh on board its center. That the flagship Alexander at Malta, and, as makes a straight usual, took his piper, Allister McAllister, with him. After dinner the royal admiral the belt, but it has and the Scottish peer danced the "Tulloch-gorum" for an hour by the clock, to the in-

SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

PRACTICAL INFORMATION ON SCI-ENCE AND MECHANICS.

The Wild Goat of Joura, Now in the Berlin Zoological Garden, Where He Is Delighting the German Zoologists as a Onite New Discovery.

Quite a sensation has been caused among zoologists by the account of a hitherto un-known wild goat, which has been recently circulated through the German press. The fact that the arrival was from a European country, and not from some distant part of the world, adds to the interest taken in it.



A NEWLY DISCOVERED GOAT.

The animal illustrated in our cut and causing the sensation alluded to was caught on the somewhat innecessible island of Joura by the explorer E. N. Oertzen. slt has been decided that it did not belong to the Capra ægagrus, and has been named Capra doncas. The creature of remarkably strong build, is smaller than the common goat, and is characterized by a coat of dark brown, marked with black bands. His sinewy legs are not unlike those of the chamois. The assertion that this wild goat attacked the hunter and threw him into a rocky ravine seems perfeetly credible after one or two experiences He first appeared in Boston about thirty with him in the Berlin Zoological garden, where he is at present confined.

This 2-year old buck is said to get on very well with his companions, but the sight of a man enrages him so that he rushes with great bounds toward the visitor, throwing himself with such force against the bars that they would long ago have been broken had not special care been taken to prevent such an to California. accident. In spite of the failure of his daily attempts to attack great and small, he does not lose his pugnacious disposition, and a vain charge is made every time that a new comer appears, so that ladies and children often start back with cries of alarm. It appears from the accounts quoted from this that the wild goat of Joura is nearly extinct, and that measures are to be taken for the preservation of the species.

Setting Shafting at Right Angles.

A correspondent in Saw Mill Gazette tells his plan of setting shafting at right angles

and so gaining more belt power than can be got in any other way. If one shaft is below the other (no matter what size the pulleys are) and if the driver is on top, he takes a plumb line, puts it on the center of the rim of the pulley, as in the illustration, lets it drop down, and sets the lower pulley so that the rim line for that side of

THE CURIOSITY SHOP.

European Sovereigns-List of Rulers from Emperor to President.

The pres at rulers of Europe are: Belginna, Leopold II Bulgaria, formerly Prince Alex-ander (of the house of Heme), now vacant; Denmark, King Christian IX; German empire, Emperor Frederick, Saxony, King Al-bert: Spain, Alphonso XIII-an infant, his mother, Christina, being regent: Wurtem-berg, King Charles, Greece, King George J. Italy, King Humbert; Sweden and Norway, King Oscar II, Switzerland (a republic), W F. Hertenstein, president of the Swiss confederation.

"By Jingo !"

Some one has asked the origin of "Jingo." In a note to "A Lay of St. Dunstan" in the 'Ingoldsby Legends," the author says: "St. Jingo. or Gengo (Gengulphus), sometimes styled 'the living Jingo,' from the great tenaciousness of vitality exhibited by his several members." And in the "Lay of St. Gengulphus" he says, "Gengulphus, or, as he is usually styled in this country, 'Jingo,' etc. He also prefaces the lay with a little

> A Franklyn's dogge leped over a style, And his name was littel Byngo. B with a Y-Y with an N. N with a G-G with an O. They call'd bym littel Byngo!

This Franklyn, sirs, he brewed goode ale, And he call'd yt Rare goode Styngo! 8, T, Y, N, G, O!

Now is not a thys a prettie Song \mathbf{J} I thyske it is, by \mathbf{Jyngo} \mathbf{J} with a $\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{N} - \mathbf{G} - \mathbf{O}$,

Twenty-five years ago Carl Formes was the most celebrated basso in the world. He is still alive, and sometimes sings or tries to sing. He was born in Muhiheim in 1810, consequently must now be nearly 78 years old. years ago, in 1850. Ho was a great singer and actor, but his voice had seen its best days. He sang in all the eastern cities for several years with great success such parts as Leporello in "Don Giovanni," Caspar in "Der Frei hastz," Marcel in "The Hugve-nots," Plunkett in "Martha," etc.; but his votce gave out almost entirely and he went

Atlantis.

Atlantis was a large island located by the Greek geographers in the Atlantic ocean west of the const of Africa. It was said to be rich and powerful, and its kings to have conquered the west parts of Europe and Africa. Tradition says that the people became very wicked and the island was swallowed up by an earthquake. Some writers doubt that such an island ever existed, but others think there is some truth in the story By some it is supposed to have been the American continent.

Punch.

The name Punch, representing the principal character in the well known puppet show, is said to be contracted from Punchinello. which latter, according to Galiania, is a cor-ruption of Puccio d'Aniello, a vintager, characterized by a very large nose and grotesque appearance, and remarkable for his wit and drollery. He subsequently went on the stage, and became extremely popular, and was personated all over the country. On being introduced into England it became Punchinello, and finally, for shortness, Punch.

California,

Montana,

T. J. POTTER,

Roman Catholies in the United States. The Roman Catholic church does not publish the numbers of its members, but as its adherents are principally foreign born, or the children of foreign born citizens and inhabitants, and as the number of immigrants has greatly increased of recent years, it is only fair to assume that the Roman Catholica increased also. There are now to be about 7,000,000 Roman Catholics to 12,-000,000 Protestants. In 1885 there were about 1.250,000 out of 17,000,000 inhabitants; now there are 7,000,000 out of say 60,000,000. First Vice-President.



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ABRASION OF THE TEETH.

ABRASION OF THE TEETH. The above cut shows the teeth of a man 45 years of age, from Dr. Bell in 1831. We meet with this affection in the teeth in various forms and degrees. The ends of the crowns seem very soft, having a low degree of vitality and wear down showing a dark yellowish cupped spot in the center. Many are so foolish as to the force of the muscles are extended to the front teeth, wearing them down rapidly. The best, and orly remedy, is to cover and

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The Rev. Dr. Calthrop, a Unitarian minister of Syracuse, N. Y., has won great local fame as a weather prophet. Syracusans place great faith in his predictions. About 90 per cent, of his prophecies are fulfilled. He does not attempt to forecast the changes for a large area of country, but by keeping his eye on the sun manages to let Syracuse know what the weather will be in t at locality some days before the weather begins to weather.

Dr. William A. Hammond is really going to live in Washington. He has cherished that design for many years, and was only waiting until he had accumulated the sum for which he had fixed his heart, and which, we believe, was \$500,000. That he has set enough nerves straight to have entitled himself to this amount his friends hope and believe, while all who have personally consulted him must feel that he cannot be entirely at home, even in Washington, without the antique chair and the magnificent paper cutter which are his throne and scep-

It is said that in the house of commons Lord Randolph Churchill usually sits with his legs crossed, and the point of his toe extended outward, a thing, perhaps, not necessarily very remarkable in itself, but which has become so owing to circumstances, for this extended too of his is to those who know quite a barometer of the noble lord's parliamentary humor. When he obligingly lowers the toe to allow fellow members to pass to and fro, the initiated note with glee that it is fair weather in the Churchill camp, but when the toe is extended stiffly like the lance of some warrior dressed for the tourney, declining to lower or give way an inch, then people in the immediate vicinity look out for storms, and they are usually not disappointed.

The Physical Effects of Stu. y.

Mr. Francis Galton and Dr. Venn have just been delighting the Anthropological institution with proofs of the marvelous effects of residence and study at Cambridge university in the direction of developing and increasing "thinking substance," These indefatigable lat orers in "the noblest study of mankind" have gone to the trouble of measuring and weighing over nine thousand persons at South Kensington-all well to do people-and comparing the results with those of similar operations carried on at Cambridge university. The gownsmen proved to have the best of it all round, being of greater weight (in pounds avoirdupois), height, breathing and squeezing power, and

of course pulling strength. The only drawback was the prevalence of weak sight among honor men. As to the size of head, it appears to vary at Cambridge exactly in the order of the owners' names on the class lists. Thus, first honor and tripos men have by far the biggest heads, other honor men carry heads of the second class, while "pass" men and the whole unfortunate tribe of "plucked fellows" are found to have

distinctly less "brain box ' than the others. Again, it was discovered that "while in the uses the brain ceases to grow at the age of 19, in cultivated students it grows to the age of 25, the honor men being exceptionally precocious."-Home Journal.

from that side. Then put an idler under the slack side of the belt to carry that part of the belt back so that it will run on the lower pulley. If SHAPTING AT RIGHT the driver is below,

ANGLES. so that you draw

from the straight side of the belt, it will not matter if the idler is well made and set in square with the belt (not square with the other pulleys). Indeed, it will work better than an, straight belts may run.

Reclamation of Arid Lands.

Congress has been asked for an appropriation of \$250,000 to pay for the preliminary work of damming up the canyons of the Rocky mountains, from the Dominion line to Mexico, and thus forming vast resevoirs of water to be used in the irrigation of arid lands, and preventing the disastrous floods on the lower Mississippi. The area of arid land in the United States is about 1,300,000 square miles; and Maj. Powell, director of the national survey, estimates that at least 150,000 square miles of this might be reclaimed-a territory exceeding in extent one-half of all the land now cultivated in the United States. The plan is to build dams across all the canyons in the mountains, large enough and strong enough to hold back the floods from heavy rains and melting snows, and then to let the water down, as it may be needed, upon the lands that would be reclaimed.

Dictionary of American Indian Tribes.

The bureau of ethnology has substantially completed the dictionary of North American Indian tribes, upon the preparation of which it has been engaged for many years, and it is probable that the work, comprising a volume of about five hundred pages, will be published within a year. The publication of this dictionary, says Science, will render intelligible much in the literature of the North American Indians that has heretofore been a habit bodice with the same trimming at the vague and confused; it will enable the reader of books referring to them to ide tify the tribes and villages; it will simplify the labors of investigators in all other branches of Indian ethnological research.

Hot Water for Ivy Poisoning.

A correspondent in Scientific American writes as follows:

Let me add my testimony as to the efficacy of hot water in curing the poison by ivy. The best way of applying it is to keep spirit lamp under the tin containing the water, and apply the water as hot as the skin will bear. The sensation of relief from the intolerable itching is so immediate and sc complete that it is almost worth while to be poisoned by ivy to experience it.

The Sun an Incendiary.

The Chemist and Druggist (London) records the fact of a chemist shop just opened at 16 High street, with show bottles in the windows, which, acting as a burning glass, set orate it may be, is more or less an informal fire to the store. It was discovered before repast; and while at dinner, until the first or much damage was done, but serves as another warning against placing show bottles where apon the hands, at a luncheon they are rethe sun can reach them in show windows.

Duties of Secretary of the Navy. The secretary of the navy has charge of everything connected with the navy of the United States. The duties of the several bureaus are performed under his authority, all instructions emanating from him. He is suce all orders to commanders of squadrons and vessels, appoints all officers, commissions and requisitions for money, etc. The marine corps is attached to his department, and the commanding officer of that submits all orders to him for approval.

Long Rivers. The length of the principal rivers in America are: Missouri to the Mississippi, 100; Missouri to the Gulf, 4,550; Mississippi, 160; Amazon, 3,600; River De La Piata, 2,240; St. Lawrence, 2,100; Orinoco, 1,600; Rio Grande, 1,800. The Missouri (to the Gulf) is the longest river in the world. The Danube is the longest in Europe, the Yangtse-Kiang in Asia and the Senegal in Africa.

Prime Minister.

Gladstone's last term as prime minister overed a period of 178 days. The Marquis of Salisbury first took office as premier June 28, 1885. He was*succeeded by Gladstone Feb. 6, 1886. Salisbury's present incumbency of the premiership commenced Aug. 3, 1886

The First Riddle.

Samson's riddle (about 1141 B. C., Judges xiv, 12) is the earliest on record. The ancient oracles frequently gave responses admitting of perfectly contrary interpretations.

Tennis Gowns.

Tennis gowns are again in request. Such, for example, as a common house flannel of the ordinary creamy tint, soft and most graceful in its drapery, made with a plain skirt, a design in tinsel braid all around, and waist line and at the throat, a wide pleat forming a full front, and giving just the graceful softness to the outlines which a perfectly plain bodice lacks. For years we have been content to believe that if we could have our dresses properly cut, and look as if we were melted into them, all was right. Now we are beginning to learn that more is re-quired of us. A black and gold shot Surah, alternately striped with black lace and black velvet, had a full bodice arranged is a fash ion which, for a slim figure, made the waist most sylph like, while incasing it apparently in a cuirass. This was simply brought about by three distinct bands of black ribbon velvet. They came from under the arm, and were sloped towards the waist, overlapping each other, so that the waist looked small in deed. Galon may be applied in the same way,

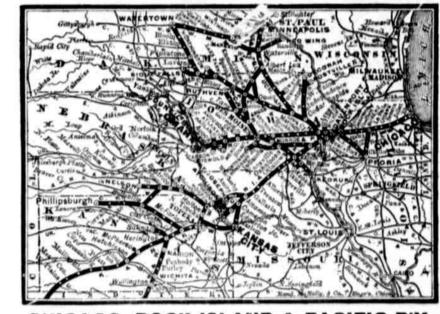
Gloves at Dinner and Luncheon.

It is generally understood that no lady goes to luncheon table wearing either her bonnet or gloves; a luncheon, however elab raw oyster course the gloves are retained moved and left upstairs in the dressing room.

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