AMONG THE CHEROKEEANS.

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM THE WOMEN OF THIS WIDE-

AWAKE TOWN.

From the Sentinel, Cherokee, Kansas. Mrs. A. J. Ausmens has resided in the ticinity of Cherokee, Kan., for a number of years and is much esteemed by a wide circle of friends who will rejoice to learn that after many years of suffering she has finally been restored to health. Wish-ing to learn the particulars of Mrs. Aus-mens' wonderful cure, a reporter called at ber residence and asked for an interview. She said:

"I have been sorely afflicted with stom-"I have been sorely afflicted with stom-ach trouble for upward of fifteen years. I was taken with a dull pain in the back which never left me. I had to be very careful in my diet as my stomach would stand only certain kinds of food. For fif-teen years I could not eat fruit of any kind. I was treated by a number of the best physicians in the county without re-ceiving any permanent benefit. Last fall while looking over an Illinois newspaper my attention was attracted to an account of Dr. Williams' Pink Fills. I was so impressed with the statement of a cure these pills had effected that I made up my find to give them a trial. I purchased a box and began their use, and they helped thind to give them a trial. I purchased a box and began their use, and they helped me from the first. When I had taken three boxes my health was fully restored, and there has been no return of the disease. "The pain in my back has left me en-tirely and now I can eat fruit or anything else I desire. I feel better than I have for fifteen years. I can cheerfully res-ommend Dr. Williams' Fluk Pills, for they accomplished what a number of phy-sicians failed to do." Mrs. J. F. Morrison, wife of Mr. Fred. Morrison, the lee dealer, of Cherokee,

Morrison, the life dealer, of Cherokee, Kan, when questioned by a reporter as to the cause of her restoration to health. anid

"For more than three years I was a For more than three years I was a summer from stainment trouble. I had no appetite for anything and became so weak and emaciated that I could not at-tend to my household duties. I was treat-ed by the ablest physicians in Cherokee, but received little or no benefit. A neigh-bor seeing that the doctors had failed to do use any good advised use to the Piez bor seeing that the doctors had failed to do me any good advised me to try Pink Pills. I had little faith in any medicine, but I finally consented to give the pills a trial. So I sent to Boyer & Graves' drug store and got a box of the Pink Pills and began to take them. I took two boxes without feeling much improvement and was about to discontinue their use when Fred urged me to try another box. I did so, and before half of the third box was taken I fell so much better that I became taken I felt so much better that I became greatly encouraged and kept on taking taken I feit so much better that I because greatly encouraged and kept on taking the pills according to directions. When I got the fourth box of Pink Pills my health was completely restored, and I feel better to-day and weigh more than I have for a number of years. I keep a box of Pink Pills in the house and would not be without them. The trouble with most people who use Pink Pills without receiving any benefit is because they do receiving any benefit is because they do not give them a fair test, but abandon them because they do not get immediate

Mrs. Mary Jones, wife of Wm. Jones, blacksmith, a resident of Cherokee The binches binches is enthusiastic in her praise of Pink Pills. Mrs. Meda Walker, of Cherokes Kan.

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Mrs. Meda Walker, of Cherokee, Kan., suffered severely with neuralgia. In an interview with a reporter she said: "Ever since I can remember I have been a great sufferer from neuralgia. About three years ago the disgase seemed to grow worse. The pain in my head be-came almost unbearable. I had some de-cayed teeth extracted; thinking that per-haps they had aggravated the maindy, but no relief resulted. I was treated by the best physicians, among them a faith cure best physicians, among them a faith cure doctor, but none of them could do any-

The Invitation

If sin is unrest, the blood of Jesus Christ that cleanseth from all sin affords rest. If anxiety is unrest, a be-Lef in the shepherd care of God and in the tender love of a personal Saviour must afford mind and soul rest. If there is unrest in self-will, there must be rest in self-surrender. O, that all men might heed the invitation: "Com- are on their way to England, where unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy they will remain during the year. laden, and I will give you rest."- | Two volumes of Dr. David Masson's United Presbyterian.

Merit Wins.

The invention of Alabastine marked a new era in wall coatings, and from the standpoint of the building owner was a most important discovery. It has from eclipsed their philological work, has a small beginning branched out into every just been erested at Hanau. country of the cavilized world. The name "kalsomine" has become so offensive to property owners that manufacturers of tempting to sell on the Alaberstitle com-

pany's reputation. Through extensive advertising and personal use, the merits of the durable Alabustine are so thoroughly known that the people insist on getting these goods and will take no chance of spoiling their walls for a possible saving of at the most but a D., who has just been called to the few cents. Thus it is again demonstrated that merit wins, and that manufacturers of first-class arricles will be supported by the people.

When you hay a lew yards of cloth in Japan the merchant siways unrolls the whole piece and outs off the inside end in order that you may not have to take the part that is fade lard showorn.

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No-to-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Antonio Bazzino, the violinist who for sixteen years has been at the head of the Milan conservatory of music, died recently at the age of 79 years. He was

Whiskers that are prematurely gray or faded should be colored to prevent the look of age, and Buckingham's Dye excels all others in coloring brown or black

In Kamschatka the inner bark of the pine is macerated in water, then pounded and made into a kind of substitute for bread, without any admixture of flour.



Mr. and Mrs. Cronwright-Schreiner

edition of De Quincey are ready for the press. There are to be six altogether.

A monument to the brothers Grimm the popularity of whose fairy tales has ances on the steamer or on the train

The inhabitants of Sneckingen, in the Grand Duchy of Baden, intend erectcheap kalsemine preparations are now ing a monument in honor of Victor calling them by some other same, and at- Scheffel, who made their town famous. William Watson's powerful poems on the Armenian situation have been published under the title, "The Year of Shame," with a strong introduction by the Bishop of Hereford.

The Rev. Charles Cuthbert Hall, D. Presidency of Union Theological Seminary, New York, is to edit the American edition of the Expositor.

J. B. Lippincott Compapay are the American publishers of Wilson Barrett's novel, founded on his popular play, "The Sign of the Cross," The Bishop of Truro has written an introduction to the book.

Dr. Nansen is giving all his time to the preparation of his book, intending to finish it before going to London to deliver his promised series of lectures on arctic exploration. It is certain to be the paramount book of the year.

Prof. Georg Ebers has written a historical romance called "Barbara Blomberg." Charles V. plays a prominent part in the story, and the heroine is the mother of Don John of Austria.

According to the St. James' Gazette, Queen Victoria will personally dictate and revise a blography of herself. which will appear in 1897. The story of the longest reign in the history of England from the Queen's own standpoir cannot fail to be of great interest. The stamp duty on newspapers, which in Austria has greatly impeded. the development of the press, is to be abolished at the beginning of next year. Over 400,000 sured, who not let No To Bag regulate or remove your desits for tobace.? Saves many, makes health and m about Curs guaranteed, for and \$1, shifterary t. will be exempt from stamp duty next March

> The Critic boasts that it reviewed 1.635 books during 1896. The best of It is that the reviews were good ones. -none better anywhere. The new enterprise of the editors, called the Month, is a monthly magazine, on the same lines as the Critic, and certainly deserves success.

The newest accession to the Academie Francaise is Anatole France, and his official reception as the successor of Ferdinand de Lesseps was the chief relaxation in a long midday snooze. literary event of recent weeks in Paris. The real name of the new immortal is Anatole Francols Thibault. He was rn in Paris in 1844, and made his lit. of Halsted street and Archer avenue erary debut in 1873 with a volume of waiting for a downtown car. She had verse entitled "Poemes Dorees." His a refined, sweet face, her brown hair beautifully phrased prose, for which he is chiefly noted, places him on a lev- a pair of wonderfully expressive and tion a few weeks ago not to send out el with the French Stevenson, Pierre Lot! Dr. Conan Doyle tells in the London Strand about a seven-months' cruise that he took in the arctic seas in 1880 as the surgeon of a whaler: "As I was only 20 years old when I started. and as my knowledge of medicine was that of an average third year student. I have often thought that it was as well that there was no very serious call upon my services," One day a steward challenged him to bout with the gloves. Later on he heard the steward saying to the mate, in loud tones of conviction, "So help me, Colin, he's the best surgeon we've had! He's blackened my e'e!" This, says the author, "was the first, and very nearly the last, testimonial that I ever received to my professional abilities."

perfectly natural, deliberate speech is asler to understand than the exagger-

ated form of articulation which people are apt to use the moment they know they are talking to a totally deaf per-EOII.

People who depend entirely upon their speech-reading for understanding others have requested me, when introducing them to strangers, not to say that they were deaf, because they find it easier to read the lips when the person speaking is not aware that he is being understood in that way. I have Lord. in my acqualizance a young man educated wholly by this method, who travels a great deal, and picks up nequaintjust as people do who possess all their faculties. I have in mind, also, a congenitally deaf girl of 14 who is not considered unusually bright, yet whose speech is clearly intelligible to strangers after the first ten minutes, who is intelligent on the topics of the day, and whose conversational repertoire is much larger and more entertaining, than that of many young ladies of 20 and over that I have met in metropoli-

an society.-"Speech and Speech-Reading for the Deaf." by John Duiton Just escaped the corners of his mouth, Wright, in the Century,

A Hopeless Muddle,

"But," said he, continuing the arga- that you think will stand the racket." ment, according to the New York World, "why should you women have a vote? What do you know of the then he went over and made another questions of the day?"

"If I mistake not our knowledge of "Seventy-three thousand eight hundred the questions of the day is not at all and sixty-five." inferior to that of the men, sir," she replied testily. "Indeed," said he "I doubt if you remarked that he "hoped he didn't

can name one of the issues of the day break the camera." OVOTI OTO ?*

"Is not the Venezuelan question one?" "Um-well-we'll call it one." She gave a triumphant little smile,

"We'll call it one," said he: "but enty-three thousand eight hundred and what do you know of the Venezueian sixty-six." mostion, pray?" "Know of it? Don't I know that it was due to-that contemptible Dr. Ja porter. "Ten years ago I commenced was due to-that contemptible Dr. Ja nesson's riding across the boundary. and —" "Ten years ago I commenced to the instances upon DOUGLAS S

He laughed an ironical laugh, "Where did you ever read that?" said

"Why, in the Amazon's Era," she anwered hotly.

"Humph! I was under the impres minutes longer he would doubtless have ion that Dr. Jameson was connected sprung it two or three more times with some South African affair, but of course the men don't know," said he, the world. Next to 'Is this hot enough sarcastically. for you? or 'Is this cold enough for "No, you men think no one ever reads you?" It is one of the commonest expresa paper but yourselves. How could it sions. The old and wise, young and

have been in Africa when Gen. Weyler foolish, homely, handsome, plain, prettook him prisoner?" "Indeed! I-I had an idea that Gen. Weyler was connected with the affairs brand-new joke, and they are so de-

in Cuba," said he again, sarcastically, She gave a hysterical little laugh. "Oh, you dear, stupid old man, and

where is Cubn but in Venezuela?" said peet to reach a hundred thousand bein a visit here of half an hour. I exshe, with an air of triumph. He made no reply. Things were now so hopelessly mixed that he left the scene in disgust and hastened to find

Caught the Boys' Fancy. A young woman stood at the corner are more liable to break a heart than anything else, think it great fun to accuse each other and warn me about

A Festival of Festivals

EVER NEW AND FRESH.

Many Persons Originate the Joke

About Breaking the Camera.

camera," she simpered, as the photog-

rapher bowed her out of the door.

"I hope I didn't break the glass in the

Then he went over to his desk and

picked up a little book that was filled

in an underbreath, as he made an en-

The door opened again, and a breezy

young man, dressed in his best, and

peeping over the corners of a collar that

"I thought I would come in and sit

for some pictures, if you have a camera

"Certainly, certainly," said the pho-

tographer. "Sit down a moment," and

entry in the little book, murmuring.

When the negative was secured and

"Oh, no," said the photographer,

gravely. And then he made another

entry in the little book, and nodded at

"I have been at this business about

twenty years," he remarked to the re-

which I should hear the alleged joke

repeated. The last time the gentleman

who just left repeated it made the sev-

enty-third thousand eight hundred and

sixty-sixth. Had he remained a few

"It is the commonest so-called joke in

ty, fat, lean, tall or short-everybody

that can talk seem to think it is a

lighted with it that they sometimes roll

the chestnut around five or six times

fore the commencement season is over

this year, for pretty school girls, who

each syllable, as he pronounced "Sev-

the chappie started out, he hughed and

try

entered.

danger to the camera when their pretty faces are posed in front of it."-Utica observer

The Hipt Was Herded

To the church, Easter is the festiva Claim jum; ers have been so troubleof festivals. Christ's work for man ome about Westmoreland, Kan., that was then completed. This the church when Charles Ott saw a man hauling selebrat e. I. is, indeed, a day of trilamber on his land he went out to talk umph, for death is conquered, man is with him, but finding that useless he redeemed, his salvation secured and got a spade, and while the man was sternal life is his. Christ's r surrection way after another lead of lumber dug a hole six feet long and three feet wide assures man's resurcection, hence there is good reason for songs of jubilee, and in the ground. The man came back, the heart of every Christian should send looked at it, and instead of unloading lor i j y u notes of pr ise to the riseo more lumber took away what he had previouely will the

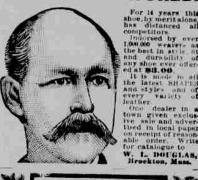
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Is made a ne-cessity by the Medicine with figures. "Seventy-three thousand | impure condition of the blood after winsight hundred and sixty-four," he said, | ter's hearty foods and breathing vitiated air in home, office, schoolroom or shop, When weak, thin or impure, the blood cannot nourish the body as it should. The demand for cleansing and invigorating is grandly met by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which gives the blood just the quality and vitality needed to maintain health, properly digest food, build up and steady the nerves and overcome that tired feeling. It is the ideal Spring Medicine. Get only

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- TO ALL POINTS

for me except give temporary relief. Just try a loc her of Chatareta c thu

"About a year ago I saw an advert se-ment of Pink Pills in the Cherokee Seatiment of Fink Pills in the Cherokee Senti-net and thinking they might help me I sent for a box. As soon as I began tak-ing them I commenced to improve, and when I had used two boxes all symptoms of neuralgia had left me. That was about ten months ago and I have not felt a touch of the malady since. My cure was certainly due to Pink Pills alone, and I regard them as a blessing to mankind." Dr. Williams Pink Pills contain, in a condensed form, all the elements neces.

condensed form, all the elements neces-sary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregulari-jies and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, and restore the glow of health to pale and sailow checks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases trising from mental worry, overwork or recesses of whatever nature. Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose builk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2,50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Com-pany, Schenectady, N. Y.

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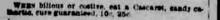
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The devil was glad when women were greated, because he couldn't be everywhere at once.



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The "loblolly" pine of the backwoodshigh, sometimes having a girth of six

When you see a girl with a dolly-varden ribbon around her neck, you can be pretty sure she does it so you won't ne. tice the freckles.

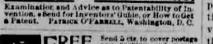
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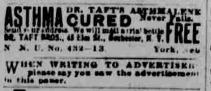
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inished norms include to look at as a palace sleeper, it is just as good to ride in. Second class if kets are banored and the price of a berth, wide enough for two, is only 5. For a folder gying full par-ticulars write to J. FRANCIS, Gen'l Pass'r Agent, Omaha, Neb











How Muskrats Breathe Under Ice.

W. Spoon, the naturalist, asserts that the muskrat when obliged to go beneath the ice from one side to the other of a pond has a curious mode of taking along his air supply. Instinct teaches him to take in a deep breath before starting, but even this he knows will be insufficient for the trip. Accordingly he halts occasionally and exhales the exhausted air from his lungs. This air, being confined by the ice in the shape of a bubble, and in full contact with the icy water, becomes almost instantly reoxygenated. When the transformation is completed the wise rat again takes in his old breath, which is now a fresh inspiration. Thus rejuvenated he again dives out of sight and begins swimming for the other side, only coming up against the ice as often as it is necssary for him to refreshen that valuable little breath of air. But few huners and trappers are aware of the muskrat's odd plans of changing his poisonous breath into a fresh inspiration, but those who are take a mean advantage. By striking a heavy blow on the ice the air is dispersed, and the little animal dies of asphyxia.

Speaking to the Deaf.

Many people, and I am sorry to say some teachers of the deaf, fall to realize, in practice at least, that speech is not as clearly visible to the eye as it is audible to the ear, and think that by speaking, word by word, and opening their mouth to the widest extent, they will render the task of the speech-render easier. As a matter of fact they ley cars do not run as often at night, render it all the more difficult. A child in school may learn to understand a teacher, who mouths his words in this manner, but this ability is of no value to him when he leaves school. Indeed, like them,

was parted over a smooth forehead and beautiful blue eyes. Her dress was any sealing schooners until next Auelegant, bur modest, and seeing her in that locality one instantly thought of sweet charity.

Two ragged little newsboys came up to the corner and gazed at her in frank admiration. Their look was returned with one of kind interest, and the girl bought a paper from each of them. Just then her car came, and with a smile she left the corner.

"Ain't she a beauty?" asked one of the boys, while the other sang in a clear, pretty voice, "She may flirt with another, but I'm sure she loves me." A middle-aged, motherly-looking asked: "Do you mean me?" as she bought a paper, she could not a Tord two

"Oh, no," answered the singer, "the indy with the pretty eyes."

"Now, I'm disappointed," said the motherly woman. "Well," called both boys, as they

went on, "you're all right, too."-Chicago Chronicle.

Queer Search for a Brother.

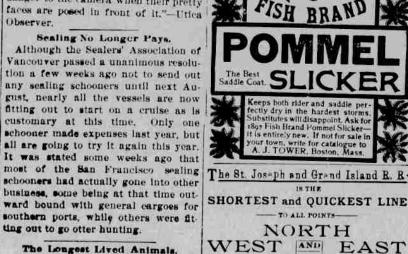
While unpacking a sample order of chinaware from Germany the other day Frank C. Young, a Second street importer, discovered a blue envelope tucked away in a vase. On opening it a letter written in German was disclosed. Being an expert German scholar, Mr. Young translated the missive, which read as follows: "To whom it may concern: My brother, Wilhelm Bletzner, left Carlsbad, Germany, two years ago for America, where he intended to engage in the china business. After a short time his correspondence abruptly ended, and after that all our letters were returned unclaimed. I am a packer in a china house, and have been placing these notes in every order to America, in hopes that they might be seen by my brother or some one that knows him. Trusting that the person who finds this will convey any information which would aid me, I remain, very truly. Cora Bletzner, Carlsbad, Germany.-Philadelphia Record.

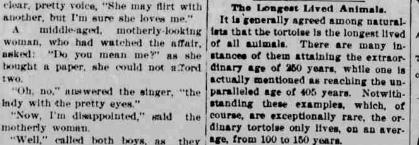
In Brooklyn.

Mrs. Church of Brooklyn-Don't you know that, staying out so late at night, you run a chance of shortening your days?

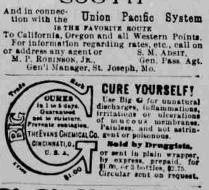
Mr. Church-Why, no, dear: the trolyou know.-Yonkers Statesman.

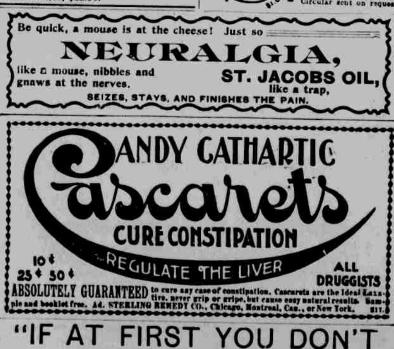
Compliments may be silly, but that man or woman never lived who did not





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