And Prussians wait us there. Our bugle is a battle-bird, That din of many a fight has heard Midst shot, and smoke, and fire, and flame. He flits and wheels with cheerful call, To rally round when comrades fall-Brave bird no foe can tame!

Another order! hark the tone! 'Oh, never bolder bird was known! 'Tis "death or glory" once again; Your preath of passion stirs the soul, And courage rises to the goal.

Where foes too long have lain. We charge at double, shout, and climb To where the bullets bide their time. Ah! now the Prussian sniders speak; We close in ranks and now the cry-Advance with bayonet, do or die!" The wood is gained by Zouave shriek.

A rush, a pause-our bugle struck! A moment only-Zouave pluck Gives pluck to aught but death, Then, sounding high 'mid strife and cheer, Unconquered notes, and always near, The bugle breathes its passion-breath.

And though with breath the red blood flows, Wet blast on blast the bugle blows. His hand clinched round with iron will; He puts off death some paces yet, and pressing back each foeman met. The brave old bugle leads us still.

Ah! there upon the turf at last He lies, but still the bugle-blast Rings shrill from blood-stained lips that press Disdaining, stretched on gory ground,

Wells forth, and urges none the less. And now, upon his elbow leant, He sees the Zouave backward bent On ground where all his blood has ran, Then-not till then-the bugle stops;

Guarding his bugle-still the sound

His task is done he bends he drops; Defeat in death-death nobly won.

ROMANCE OF A POCKET BOOK.

I was just 25 when I met Alice Thorne, the daughter and heiress of George Thorne, the great banker. I fell desperately in love with the

charming girl, knowing well that such love was utter madness.

Her father was reported to be a very proud, ambitious man, who would look nigh for a son-in-law. I felt that he his consent, what would that bring to the great losses I had sustained by the her but misery? I had nothing with failure in Philadelphia. I did not dare which to compensate her for the sacri- to make my embarassments known, as fice of a marriage with my poverty.

So we bade good-by without a word of explanation, though I knew she read the apprish in my heart and tons more that I cared, but for Alice, my darling the anguish in my heart, and tears were child. It was on the 14th of Decemb in the soft eyes averted from me. I that you lost the money. Oh, I sh kissed the trembling hand she placed in never forget the date. It was on the mine, and turned away and bade fare- day that I meditated suicide. I w well to her and hope together.

Scarcely had I got back to town and was striving earnestly to drown vain regret in the bustle and interest of busi-fice seemed to stifle me, and I rushed in ness, when a terrible misfortune fell to the street. I had hardly gone ten yar upon me. Mr. Overton had given me when my foot struck something. It w a check for \$20,000, desiring me to go to the bank and get it cashed. Having executed the commission and returned sight turned me giddy and faint. The executed the commission and returned, imagine my horror on discovering that those moral struggles which, even to the pocket-book containing the money conqueror is fearful, but in which, al

Whether stolen by villains or lost by my own carelessness, what mattered it? the world I was George Thorne, an hour carelessness and the world I was George Thorne, and the world I was George It was gone, and I was utterly ruined. est, upright man; to myself I was no What I suffered during the next few ing better than a malefactor, You know hours God only knows; and when, after the rest. Through my guilt you pass being dismissed, I returned to my own two weeks of indescribable anguish. room I was very nearly desperate; not have since endeavored to make repa only had I lost a lucrative position, but | tion for the misery I caused; but I a my future appeared to be irretrievably suffered. Moral atonements are blasted; for there are suspicions which most cruel, because they are eternal. are as fatal to a man morally as would have known and yet feel the bittern be physically the wound of a rifle ball. of expiation. Say, my son, can you f But I was young and of a hopeful na-ure, at d I began to realize that I had Could I forgive? I looked at the p been leniently dealt with. On recalling lid face, anguished eyes. What w all that had happened after my leaving my sufferings of those two terrible we the bank, and the utter impossibility of compared to the secret pain and sha the pocket-book being taken from the this man had borne for years?-t breast-pocket of my coat, I came to the man, the victim of one solitary deviat conclusion that I must have dropped it, from rectitude, so upright in all el and thereupon I resolved to have re- and whose life since had been one lon course to all means in my power to re- atonement. I grasped his hand, tears

I had saved up during the last few "Father," I cried, "Alice's father and years a considerable portion of my sal- mine, all is forgiven, forgotten. Do I ary, and determined now to devote it not owe all the happiness of my life to to the purpose I had in veiw. I ad- that same lost pocket-book?" vertised daily in all the prominent journals, not offering the customary reward, but describing my unfortunate position, my honor lost, and my fortune

For two weeks I kept my loss before the public, and had almost begun to despair of any favorable result, when, one morning, a stranger came to me-a tall dark stern-looking man, who regarded me with a pair of kindly brown eyes, that had something familiar about

The stranger declined the seat I offered to him, and began at once speaking brusquely and to the point. "I have heard of your loss," said he. "I have read your advertisement in the papers, and I feel deeply interested in and or you. I have just left your late employers, and, after the satisfactory manter in which all my inquiries were anwered, I became your surety for the "What?"

"Oh, sir!" I began, but he stopped

"Let me finish," said he. "I've done this because I am convinced that you are an upright, honest man, and the greatest proof of my confidence I can give you is that I am about to offer you the position of eashier in my banking house. My name, sir, is George Thorne. George Thorne, the father of Alice, the girl that I loved! Ah, the mystery topic in place of the former staple-free was solved! It was of her his eyes re- gossip. How wise and how much more

ninded me; it was to her I was indebted | beneficia'.! Fifteen years had flown since the day Rockland Court I lost the pocket book. I had now be-

Overton for my loss.

was in a thriving condition.

-there was a crease in the rose leaf. For some time past I had been vainly occupied my thoughts.

Alice's influence, but I knew now that it had been as great a surprise to her as About this time Dr. Ponard, one of Actions of the last age are like alma-

Mr. Thorne's most intimate friends, ar- nacs of the last year.

I sprung towards him in the wildest kept in the house. This tragedy is as and the machine put in motion. The

A Sad Tragedy.

filled my eyes.

NO MORE GOSSIP.

If we are correctly informed, St. Ja-

A Sudden Change of Opinion.

lanimous vahoos.

At first I had attributed it all to out of the beaten track to find a remedy.

A good man is a prince of the Almighty's creation.

rived in New York, and one morning, Railway Construction in 1880. while sitting at breakfast, expressed

money lost and found.

and vet I should like to know."

the events of the last fifteen years.

greatly-let me go to my room.'

and haggard.

all, my honor."

but how-

from it a pocket book.

to my feet in dismay.

ne placed it in my hand.

private office. I found him looking pale

"Sit down, my dear Arthur," said he,

in a low voice, "and listen to me. For

a long time I have had a confession to

now, that I have in a measure made

"The trouble you caused me," I cried.

Mr. Thorne opened his desk and took

"Do you remember this?" said he, as

"Yes," I replied, "It is the one I lost;

I could not finish my sentence. The

"Great heavens!" I cried; "you found

"Aye, and kept it," he groaned, with

An important article on railway congreat surprise at the numerous adverstruction in 1880, the result of careful tisements in the papers relating to and extensive inquiry, appears in the Railway Age. It is learned that much "Well," said he, I have not the least of the information has been obtained disympathy for those who lose money. They are generally careless, stupid people, not fit to be trusted; although I recials. The footings, incomplete as they member having heard of a youns man may be, are sufficiently astonishing, who lost a pocket book some years ago. showing as they do, that not less than containing \$20,000, and I declare when I 7,207 miles of new track were laid durread his piteous appeals, which were in ing the past twelve months, on at least all the papers, my heart fairly ached for him. But," continued he addressing my father-in-law, who had become very pale, "you ought to remember the circumstances, for it occurred just at the 1879. No doubt the final figures will intime of the great failure in Philadelphia, by which you were so heavy a "Yes, I recollect the affair," replied Mr. Thorne, who appeared to be suffer-

The table shows that the work of con-"I never heard," continued the docstruction has been prosecuted in fortytor, "what became of the poor devil; two of the states and territories, the only state not included in the list being "Should you," said I, laughing; "then Mississippi, and the only territories not let me gratify you curiosity. I, Arthur given being Idaho, Wyoming, Indian Wallace, am that poor devil, doctor; territory-from which railways, eager saved from ruin and despair by my bento enter, are still forcibly kept out-and efactor here." And then I related all ice-bound Alaska, which is at present beyond the reach even of the enterpris-The doctor sprung to his feet and grasped his old friend's hand. ing railway-builder. Work is now actively in progress in Idaho and Wyo-"Well, and generously done!" said he: ming, and another year will see large but Mr. Thorne interrupted him. "I am additions in these territories also, while not well," he said, faintly. "I suffer the Indian country will doubtless be opened to several new enterprises. The next day he sent for me to his

Referring to the summary it will be seen that Dakota leads the country with over 680 miles of new track, Texas coming next with 659; Ohio with 525; the new territory of New Mexico with 519 miles; Iowa with 445; young Colorado make to you-one that weighs on me so with 401; Nebraska with 385; Illinois heavily that I must ease my conscience and Kansas with over 340 each, and so of its load. I can better bear to do so on, the new west beyond the Mississippi river contributing the greatest share of some amends for the trouble I once the additions for the year. It should also be borne in mind that the figures show only the track reported laid, and 'You have been the most generous of do not include the vast mileage upon men to me. It is through your kindness which grading has been in progress, and l occupy my present position: it is to which will be ironed in the coming year. you I owe my happiness, and more than It is not unlikely that ten thousand miles of road will be added in 1881. Assuming the cost of building and equipping 7,207 miles here reported, it is found that the enormous sum of \$72,-000,000 has been expended on these completed roads How much more has been spent in surveys and construction on other new lines it is impossible to say. truth stared me in the face. I sprang The figures here given considerably exceed any estimate hitherto made, and are an astonishing exhibition of enterprise and faith on the part of the capitalists of the country. As a general anguish in his voice. "But oh! do not thing, the roads have been built by montransportation have been thus increas-

The detailed statement of this con-

1	ruin! God knows it was not for myself	struction is	
		SUMMARIZED AS FOLLOWS:	
ı	that I cared, but for Alice, my darling	Number of	
9	child. It was on the 14th of December	States and territories. lines.	Mileag
ч	that you lost the money. Oh, I shall	Arkansas 4	70.
Ц	never forget the date. It was on that	Alabama 1	20.
4	day that I meditated suicide. I was	Arizona 1	200
J		California 1	3.
Ù	short of \$20,000 to meet my liabilities,	Colorado 13	401.
	maturing on the 15th. I was over-	Connecticut 1	35.
	whelmed with despair; the air of the of-	Dakota	680.
,	fice seemed to stifle me, and I rushed in-	Delaware 1	26.
	to the street. I had hardly gone ten yards	Florida	342
2	when my foot struck something. It was	Indiana 8	161
•	your pocket-book. I opened it, and the	Iowa	445
:	sight turned me giddy and faint. Then	Kansas 10	344.
	commenced within my breast one of	Kentucky 1	17.
t		Louisiana 2	97.
	those moral struggles which, even to the	Maine 1	3.
	conqueror is fearful, but in which, alas!	Maryland 2	41.
	I was miserably vanquished. The next	Massachusetts	288
7	day I satisfied all claims upon me. To	Michigan	119
2	the world I was George Thorne, an hon-	Missouri 8	257
d	est, upright man; to myself I was noth-	Montana territory 1	65
7	ing better than a malefactor, You know	Nebraska 10	385.
	the rest! Through my guilt you passed	Nevada 2	60
	two weeks of indescribable anguish. I	New Jersey 4	56
		New Mexico 5	519.
	have since endeavored to make repara-	New York 3	41
k.	tion for the misery I caused; but I also	North Carolina	525
ř.	suffered. Moral atonements are the	Oregon 4	206
1	most cruel, because they are eternal. I	Punnsylvania 16	205
1	have known and yet feel the bitterness	Rhode Island 1	7
	of expiation. Say, my son, can you for-	South Carolina 3	31
	give my crime?"	Tennessee 3	24
1	Could I forgive? I looked at the pal-	Texas 13	658
r	lid face, anguished eyes. What were	Utah 3	85 36
2		Vermont 1	247
	my sufferings of those two terrible weeks	Washington territory 2	81
L	compared to the secret pain and shame	West Virginia 2	26
đ	this man had borne for years?-this	Wisconsin	235
	man, the victim of one solitary deviation	3.2.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3.3	-
,	from rectitude, so upright in all else,	Total234	7,207
-	and whose life since had been one long		

Origin of "Counter-Irritation." But few people now living are acquainted with the theoretical idea of much admired in the practice of medi-the question as to what is the standard enclosure. ley, in Yerkshire, England, called in The first tragedy of the new year in Dr. Fellows for advice. He gave a histhis county was, in other respects, a tory of his case, summing it all up in notable one. It occurred in the town these words: "In short, doctor, I can't of Otis, Ind., at the close of New Year's stand sitting." "Then," replied the that the infection of immorality is as ster of wind and water, presenting an eve. Henry Augustine, a young man. doctor, who was somewhat famous as a widely diffused in this free republic to-appearance never to be forgetten, the went from Chicago to visit his relatives. wit, "you fool, why don't you sit stand-Having tried in vain to make them drink poisoned whisky, he shot his aunt and that he left the physician and sent in then his uncle with a rovolver, so that his bill for a pair of boots. The doctor they will die, then rushed down stairs paid the bill, gave a fresh order for and shot one cousin dead and wounded another pair, and soon gaine I the conanother. From his frustrated attempt | fidence of his patient. Learning that to poison, from his manner of returning the cobbler had vilified him, he deterto his uncle's room and seeking admis- mined to make him suffer. He presion on the plea of offering assistance, pared a machine which by means of a and from his untimely flying for his fly-wheel threw forward and backward life from a room in which his wounded a board like a weaver's shuttle. Becousin detained him, there are grounds neath this board were placed large pebfor concluding that his crimes were not | bles. When the cobbler applied again so insane as they looked, and for credit- for treatment for the nervous prostraing the theory that he sought possession | tion with which he was suffering, he of a sum of money that he knew to be was strapped by the doctor to this board manifold, as wild and horrible as the poor cobbler groaned in agony and suf-Goulding butchery, where a dissolute fered as if upon the rack, but the docand moody son tried to slaughter a tor put on all the power until the cobwhole family in New York city some years ago. It is not an auspicious open-patient had so much improved that he the times and ask if that is not a false years ago. It is not an auspicious opening in the criminal record for the year applied for another trial of the machine. It effected a complete cure, and the docshire as a curer of nervous debility by his "counter-irritation machine," which was invented as a joke.

London Fogs. Chambers' Journal. "Ah, that's what I like! that's what were bad enough; but they were on a groom, and also knew of his good other article. some a prosperous man, surrounded by I like!" chirped old Mr. Whistleblossom, comparatively limited scale. They have qualities—that he was a man worth This escape from a frightful disaster all the luxuries which wealth affords. I as he came carefully down the hill since attained marvelously grand dihad found in Mr. Thorne more than a patron; I found a friend; under a brusque sleds. "If there's anything I really love the increase of houses and population." In the plan was that patron; I found a friend; under a brusque sleds. "If there's anything I really love the increase of houses and population." In the plan was that the degree of readiness with which the closely and the increase of houses and population. The plan was that the degree of readiness with which the closely and the increase of houses and population. manner he had a heart of gold. From it's too see the boys, full of animal spir- What we ordinarily call London, but is profane words at the table, as the hot cape as an interposition of divine provithe first day of our acquaintance he had its, enjoying these wintry sports." And more directly styled the metropolis, has coffee or hot weather or slow servants dence, may readily be excused. evinced towards me the liveliest interest and affection. just at that instant one hundred and fif-and affection. spread and spread till it covers a space ty pounds of animal spirits came dash-of about 120 square miles. In the win-I was soon made partner, and when, ing down the hill on a double runner, and when, ing down the hill on a double runner, and when the work of them two three or four, and gant wife applied a profane term to the "Girl" is a word that suggests ideas on a certain blessed day, I became the and caught the unsuspecting Mr. Whis- some of them two, three, or four, and gant wife applied a profane term to the husband of Alice, and his son-in-law, he tleblossom between the heels. There there are numerous manufactories and biscuit, and a fair guest made a like of elegance and grace, joined to simplicpresented me with a receipt for the was a sound of revelry by night, and public works with furnaces and tall remark of the coffee, and still another ity, innocence and truth, all embedied \$20,000 that he had paid to the Messrs. when they picked up the unfortunate chimneys, all of which less or more applied a profane expletive to the move- in that class of human beings which gentleman and had pinn d together the emit quantities of smoke. This smoke ments of a servant, the husband abso- make the nearest approach to the an-So time went on. The banking-house ruptured back of his coat, he remarked mingles with what fog there happens to lutely cried with remorse that he had gelic. known af the firm of Thorne & Wallace in a tone so gentle that it made him be, and produces a curious mixture, ever himself used such an outrageous The pure young girl knows no evil, black in the face, that the city govern- that is now only beginning to be rightly form of speech. Professor Swing thinks and therefore she does none. Untouched I had a beautiful wife and two lovely ment who would refuse to pass a law understood. Like every other mist, the that "while such a cure cannot be justi- by early experiences she is perfectly children, and yet, with all these sources making it a reform-school crime to fog which rises and is wafted along the fied, bacause it might kill the ladies happy-and the truly happy are always of happiness, I was not quite contented slide on the streets were a set of pusil- valley of the Thames is composed of without curing the masculine offender, good For some time past I had been vainly trying to account for the extraordinary That wondeful remedy for rheumatism, heat. Only with difficulty is the sun mournful curiosity." interest which my father-in-law had first | St. Jacobs Oil, has been used by a large | able to undertake the duty. The smoke taken in me, because I discovered, as I number of people in this city, and with poured out from hundreds of thousands grew older, and saw more of this self- effect truly marvelous. Frequent re- of chimneys, does not merely mix with ish, egotistical world, that very few ports are made where sufferers have the fog; it coats each watery particle Providence in the year 1772, taking two such generous actions were performed without a motive, and the solution of without a motive, and the solution of without a motive, and the solution of growing largely. The fact that it is an intural character, and preserving it, so the same distance in an hour! this, to me, difficult problem frequently external remedy, commends it to many to speak, from immediate dispersion. who would not otherwise think of going A genuine London fog, therefore, is something more than a fog. It is a pro- Don't take any of the quack rostrums, as they digiously large volume of mist, held in | are regimental to the hu nan cistern; put your | ance collher most sweet regards. a kind of thralldom by oleaginous in- trust in Hop Bitters, which will cure general gredients floated from the tops of chim- dilapidation, costive habits and all comic dis-

express a condition that would involve some chemical explanations which need not be gone into. Every one will un- Comparative Statement of Receipts in derstand that the smoke from the coal fires somewhat unites inextricably with the particles of mist, and keeps the

whole thing hovering in a dense cloud way commissioners and other state offidingy cloud darkens and pollutes the enue, and miscellaneous sources, during a gratification of itself, and one of the air, fills the streets, and to a certain ex- the years 1879 and 1880, has been pre- highest order. tent the houses and lungs of the inhab- pared at the treasury department: itants. On such occasions the dark-234 different lines. These figures are far greater than those for any year since london gas is more remarkable for its Six months ending Dec. 31, 1879... 1871, and the mileage is more than 54 London gas is more remarkable for its Six months ending Dec. 31, 1880.. 98,517,473 per cent greater than that built in volume than its purity, it aids in deteriorating the atmosphere during fogs, al- Six months ending June 30, 1879. \$ 55,990,940 crease it to at least 7,500 miles, which ready sufficiently tainted with the ex- Six months ending June 30, 1880.. 63,312,718 halations of domestic sewage. At times Six months ending Dec. 31, 1880.. 67,927,747 structed in any previous year in the it is as difficult to get a breath of fresh United States, or, of course, in any other air as it is to procure a good drink of Six months ending June 30, 1879... \$ 12,898,940 palatable water.

TWO SENATORIAL HUSBANDS.

The Moral Warning in the Sprague and Christiancy Cases.

It was once the boast of the American that his superiority over the minions of the effete despotisms of Europe was shown in the more tender regard for woman, and his better treatment of her in all the relations of life, public and private. There can be no doubt that the claim was at one time well supported, and that respect for woman was an instinct of American character and a debt, Jan. 1, 1881. feature in American life. Of late years, Six per cent bonds ... \$202,266,550 however, there has been reason to sus- Five per cent bonds... 469,651,050 pect that the boast was rather a tradi- Four and one-half per tion of the past than a reality of the present, and two incidents of the past Refunding certificates 927,400 week are calculated to make us doubt Navy pension fund.... that we are any better than our neigh-

The telegraph has informed us that the detectives of Columbus, O., have Certificates of deposit 7,005,000 recently been engaged in looking up the Fractional currency record of Mrs. Sprague during the period before her marriage when she reigned in social circles of Columbus as | Gold and silver certifithe daughter of Ohio's governor. It is cates no secret that the tongue of scandal had not spared Miss Chase's maiden reputation, but slanders which require the aid of detectives to exhume them after slumbering unremembered for twenty years, might very well be Debt less cash in allowed to slumber on. The other incident is the still more remarkable at- Decrease during Detempt of ex-Senator and ex-Minister Christian description of the company of the c Christianev to criminate his wife by the employment of an informer who has successfully reached the lowest depth of | Interest due and unsocial and personal degradation.

Mr. Sprague was once thought enough of a man to make a senator of, Interest thereon..... or a major general, or a governor. He Gold and silver certifiwould not so much as give a hearing to my suit; and as to winning her without his consent, what would that bring to his consent. fore the world conspicuously, not only of certificates of de by his greatness, but by his misfortunes. Yet his manhood is not shocked at all, nor does he feel that there is anything wrong in an attempt to degrade his wife, and the mother of his children, by ge. raking the sewers of scandal for proof that she was an adulcress in the years 0.00 before he married her. As it is a part panies, interest payable in lawful with an alacrity which protects him for woman. There can hardly be two opinions about the manhood of people Balance of interest paid by United who would do this dirty work for hire, nor of those at whose bidding the dirty work is done. Yet it may be doubted whether public opinion will give more

than a passing thought to their busi-Base and incredible as this transac-.00 to describe to decent people, but it

counter-irritation, which has been so the case brings us face to face with is shore diagonally toward the prison

easily commit such crimes. honor and respect women, we hear the of that name razeed-and carrying an that we are a nation of hypocrites, and eleven-inch guns. On came the monday as it was in the Roman empire be- hideous seething increasing as it adfore its corruptions undermined its vanced. The destruction of the Roanstrength and invited its ruin. The truth oke appeared to be inevitable; her fate those which we have noticed, and such from the centre and largest turret. The warnings as those we hear, prove that fitteen-inch shell shattered the waterwe are on the downward path, and that spout, and the huge water spout, like a our material growth is accompanied by liberated baloon, shot upward, with a moral decay. If this is really the sad lightning rapidity high into the heavtruth, it is well that the truth should be ens. Then, with equal velocity, it known. If there is an ulcer eating out plunged downward, striking and wreckfuses to deal with it is merely an aggra-vation of the disease, and it would be in the air again in less time than it well for all who have any care for this takes to record it, the cyclone descendour morals and our manhood.

How They Cured Him.

Fifty years ago, when we first became four in number, to a quiet dinner. As bers had been sawed off. Neither were adopt the sure rem dy, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. acquainted with them, London fogs they knew of the profane habits of the there seen of it afterward board or small particles of water that ought yet the story itself may serve to show properly to be dissipated by the sun's that man as an animal that swear is a ure yet to brought into full use. As yet,

The first stage-coach in America com-

Mrs. Partington Says neys. When we say oleaginous, we, for cases. They saved Isaac from a severe attack of typhoid fever. They are the neplus unum of medicines.—Boston Globe.

NATIONAL FINANCES.

1879 and 1880.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

ness, even at noon, is so great that Six months ending June 30, 1879. \$ 68,548,439 dwellings and places of business have Six months ending June 30, 1880. 101,621,659

Six months ending June 30, 1880.. 63,312,718 MISCELLANEOUS."

Six months ending June 30, 1880.. 12,406,631 Six months ending Dec. 31, 1879... Six months ending Dec. 31, 1880... TOTAL. Six months ending June 30, 1879. \$137,368,399 Six months ending June 30, 1880... 177,341,009 Six months ending Dec. 31, 1879... 156,185,601

DADDY DOLLARS The distribution of standard silver dollars from United States mints during the month of December, amounted to \$1,807,491, while for the corresponding month in 1879 it reached \$1,935,921.

THE PUBLIC DEBT. Following is a statement of the public

Matured debt...... \$ 11,484,395 estimated as lost or

destroyed \$8,375,934) 7,147,530 Total without inte-\$ 431,135,301 \$2,099,885,096 Total interest..... 21,596,379 treasury..... 30, 1880..... Current liabilities—

Debt on which interest has ceased...... 11,484,395 posit..... Cash balance available Jan. 1, 1881..... 148,503,615

Cash in treasury..... Bonds issued to Pacific Railway com-

Available Assets-

Interest repaid by the companies: from any imputation of over tenderness By transportation service....... \$14,052,447 By cash payments, 5 per cent earn-States 32,882,214

Adventures With a Water Spout.

Toward the close of the war, says to a high moral level in comparison with the point-to place many of the sick dant from every limb, from every bush. wretch whose like has hitherto been gin of the bay to find relief in the sea gun. known to us only through the satires of air from the oppressiveness of an unus-Lucretius or the records of the lower ually sultry night. It was at once eviempire. The use which was made of dent from the peculiar atmosphere and this convenient witness is too degrading | death-like, indescribable stillness that something out of the usual routine was seems to have been accepted as a mat-near at hand. Soon there was heard a Elevator. Restaurant upplied with the best. ter of course, and as quite an ordinary rumbling, roaring and hissing sound. incident in the management of a divorce | Looking across the Potomac about 7.31 case. It is the most conspicuous in- eight miles distant, the cause, in an stance, but it is, unfortunately, not the alarming shape, was discovered in a only instance, in which accommodating huge water spout attached to a large, lawyers have undertaken to manufac- angry cyclone, in form like the placing ture the evidence on which a divorce is of the nozzles of two funnels together. to be obtained, but the prominence of It was making its way from the Virgin-

cine. It had its origin in the following of manhood in a country in which men About a mile out was anchored the three turreted monitor Roanoke, one of Instead of the proud boast that we the largest in the service—the frigate warning voices of those who tell us armament of one fifteen-inch and two perhaps will be found to lie between the hung, as it were, in the balance, when two extremes, but such incidents as a curl of smoke was seen to puff out the social and moral life of the nation ing the large commissary building near it can not be cured by painting over the the river, and carrying everything besore and affecting not to notice it. If the fore it at the dock as if it were as much hypocrisy with which we are charged chaff in a September gale, including by our censors lies at the bottom of it, sentry boxes, in which one soldier was the hypocrisy which ignores it and re- killed and two others mangled by being of the seven which was not occupied by the sick, and which was used for the storing of clothing and other materials. This the cyclone carried out in the bay David Swing, in the Alliance, tells in the twinkling of an eye, so to speak, how a bride reformed her profane hus- taking it as clean to the ground, sills band. She invited her bridesmaids, and flooring, as if the boards and tim. If the stomach, liver and bowels are affected, to

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beauty, which nature could never have gentle and artless nature so well en- was taken in time. By all means my it. shrined in that form of native and win-The following comparative statement on the contemplation of such a being

Only a Dog.

Detroit Free Press. We were all crying, every one of us. Father declared that it was smoke that got into his eyes and made them smart; but mother threw her apron over her head and sat rocking and sobbing for has done thousands of soldier to be head and sat rocking and sobbing for the medicine of many doctors. It is a positive ten minutes. Phæbe and I just threw cure for all female complaints. Send to Mrs. ourselves down on the floor by poor Leo, Lydia E. Pinkham. and I took his dear old shaggy head in my lap and the hot tears dropped one by one; and Phœbe petted his poor old stiff ears and smoothed his thin gray the Omaha BEE, consisting of \$20,000 hairs; and then we took off the old brass | worth of agricultural implement collar that was marked all over with household goods, jewelry, watches hieroglyphics that we scratched with musical instruments, sewing machines pins in the proud days when first he and other valuable and useful articles Six months ending Dec. 31, 1880.. 182,155,730 wore it; then we cried again, and just takes place on February 22d, 1881. N then in walked 'Squire Toots, and he postponement. The WEEKLY BEE, didn't seem to know what to do when 56 column, 8 page sheet, contains more he saw us all so distressed; he looked far western news, including every state at us then at Leo; then he took out his and territory between the Mississipp handkerchief and gave his nose a real and the Pacific. Sample copies with Sunday-school blowing, and said kind of full premium list mailed free. All pre-

"Why, it's wicked to feel s' bad. Any 20th of February. Direct letters to the body'd spose it was a pusson; 'taint only Daily Bee, Omaha, Nebraska.

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time that we went racing home from superior to any similar work published. his handsome, stately presence and su- agency, address R. S. Peale, perior manners, and how safe we felt to hear his deep chested bark as we went enough, and we buried him out in the grove in a little hollow, where he loved to lie on hot summer days, and there will be no resurrection for him, though there will be for the vilest thief he kept from our door; but none, the love is the love that the love that the love the love that the love t from our door; but none the less, in looking over his honest, blameless life, in which he was never faithless to any, \$ 222,299,739 even the smallest trust, I dare apply to him the Master's meed of praise, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant;" though, as Squire Toots said, "he was only a dog.'

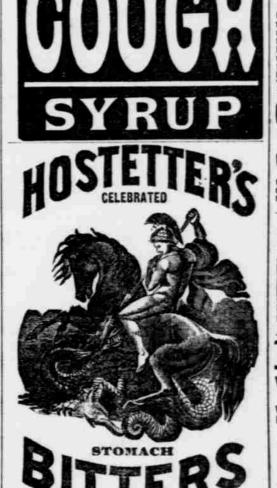
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