### GREATER NEW YORK.

AN ERA IN THE HISTORY OF THE METROPOLIS.

Completion of the New York Central's Four-Track Draw-Bridge Over the Harlem River, and of the \$3,000,000 Steel Visduct From 110th to 149th Street.

New York, Feb. 5, 1897 .- One of the most remarkable feats of engineering so admit a perfectly free passage for on record is nearing completion, and, beginning Thursday Feb. 11, the passenger entering New York from the north will ride over one of the grandest examples of steel railway construction yet accomplished in this age of marvelous results in that direction.

Going south at 149th street, the tracks of the New York Central begin to rise gradually, and at 135th street they cross the Harlem river on the new four-track steel draw-bridge, at an elevation of 24 feet above high tide.

This massive structure is remarkable in being the first four-track drawbridge ever constructed, and is the largest bridge of the kind in the world.

tracks run over the steel viaduct to 110th street, and thence by the stone track line.

The work of building this massive structure, which is here illustrated, be gan Sept. 1, 1893, and has continued without cessation until now, and will cost when completed considerably more than \$3,000,000. The completion of the new work will permit the opening of all cross streets under the railway and

will be entirely free, as the trains which heretofore crossed it at grade will pass over it at an elevation that will allow street cars and all traffic perfect freedom. At 125th street, the tracks will cross the street fourteen viaduct.

From 138th street south the four new | and out of the city, the important through trains as well as the principal suburban trains arriving and departviaduct to 106th street, where they ing during those hours. This will strike the fevel of the present four | avoid delays, which have been, at much laster service than could have supply being greatly in excess of the been maintained under the old arrangements; and, as speed is one of the principal factors in travel in this age, this feature will prove an important

Quite a number of the great improvein the northern part of the city can year. Over 400 car-loads of wine have One hundred and thirty-eighth street, over the new viaduct. Among them past few months to make room for the which has become a great thoroughfare, are Grant's tomb, St. Luke's hospital new vintage. Grapes are selling there and the buildings of Barnard college for from \$10 to \$15 a ton. and Columbia college on Morningside Heights, and very soon the grand structure of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine will be observed. Further north, and on the west side of the feet above the level of the street, and at | Harlem river, the now famous speedthis point a magnificent passenger sta- way is under construction and aption is to be built, extending from 125th | proaching completion; the magnificent to 126th street, under the four-track | High bridge, Washington bridge, Mc-Comb's dam bridge and the viaduct This improvement will be of im- leading to it, from the north, are works mense value to the entire state-in fact, of art as well as of great utility, unto the whole country-as the bridge, der which the trains pass, and on the It is 400 feet long and weighs 2,500 being so high above the water, will right may be seen the buildings of the tons. The draw-bridge is 58 fc. 6 never have to be opened, except when University of the city of New York, inches wide, from center to center of large steamers or vessels with masts | Webb's Sailor's Home, and hundreds

Wine Making in California.

A big boom in wine making is planned in some parts of California the coming season. In the northern Sonoma district last year many tons of times, very annoying, and permit of fine grapes rotted on the vines, the capacity of the wineries. All the leading wine makers of the district are now increasing the capacity of their cellars, the total increase being about 700,000 gallons, and many wineries not operated last season are being put in ments which have recently been made shape for a heavy season's run this be seen from the trains as they pass been shipped out of the district in the

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That Confusing Debate. He had a morning paper and a hurried look as he entered the station. "Gimme a ticket to Horr."

"What place?" "Horr-Horr-down here, south-puburban town-"

"Oh, you mean Harvey?" And he did.

Home Seekers' Excursions at Half Rates Via the Missouri Pacific Railway and Iron Mountain Route to points in the west and southwest. Tickets on sale Tuesdays: Feb. 16. Mar. 2 and 16, April 6 and 20, and May 4 and 18. For descriptive and illustrative pamphlets of the different states, time and map folders, address H. C. Townsend, General Passenger agent, St. Louis, Mo.

The Poor Komaus. "It is wonderful," said young Mrs. Torkins, "to think of the progress the world has made."

"Yes," said her husband, "one can't help seeing evidences of progress everywhere. If you walk out on the streets you see electric cars and electric lights everywhere."

"Yes, whenever I see an electric light I do feel so sorry for the poor Romans. How they ever managed to read anything by the light of those spluttery Roman candles is more than I can imagine."-Washington Star.

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Gallen's Cabbage Heads. Several years ago the residents of Gallen, a little Berrein hamlet in Michigan, were surprised at the advent of a party of Chicago men who devoted their time to inspecting a large tract of swamp land near that place. The curious citizens were still more astonished when the Chicago contingent purchased the alleged worthless land for a trifling sum per acre and set about opening up huge ditches to drain the large area and fit it for cultivation. Last season that portion of the tract cleared produced 20,000 tons of cabbages, which brought in \$80,000 to the fortunate growers, the land proving to be peculiarly adapted to the culture of that vegetable. This year the cabbage patch comprises 600 acres of this erstwhile worthless land, now valued at \$200 per acre, and there are some people in Galien who hint that

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there are cabbage heads in that region

other than these under cultivation.

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Sumner by sight. But a boy in the car jumped out when Mr. Sumner reached his destination and said: "Mr. Sumner, will you please write your name in my album? They stopped under a street lamp and Mr. Sumner wrote his name.

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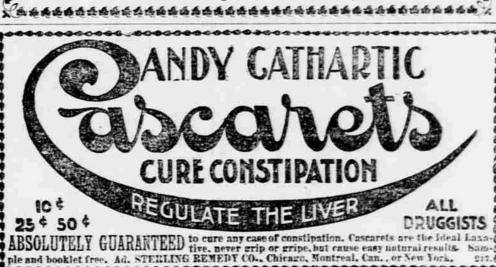
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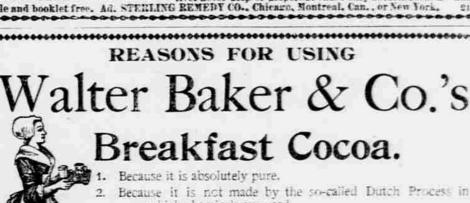
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Side view of the new four-track steel draw-bridge over the Harlem River. is a clear space of 26 feet, which per- closed. mits the passage of two sets of double tracks. The floor is corrugated and the rails are bolted to it on steel tie-plates. The trusses of the draw-bridge span all tugs and barges shall joint their fer attractions which will be unsurare 64 feet high in the center and 25 smoke-stacks and flag-poles, to enable passed in their character by any city feet high at each end. At the highest them to pass under the bridge while it in the world. part of these trusses is situated the is closed. He has also ordered that

outside trusses, and is carried on three have to has through; all tugs, canal of other new buildings of less imporvery heavy trusses. Between the cen- boats, barges, etc., will have ample tance. North of the Harlem river, on tral and each of the two side trusses room to go under the bridge while it is the Harlem division, is Bronx park,

End View of the New York Central's new four-track steel draw-bridge over the Harlem River at 135th Street,

Greater New York. The largest structure of its kind in the world.

engine-house, which contains two the bridge shall not be opened between oscillating double-cylinder engines, the hours of seven and ten o'clock in the tourist and seeker after knowledge the morning, and four and seven in or pleasure more inducements than any worked together or separately, so that the afternoon, except for police, fire or other American city, and few cities in if one should break down at any time government vessels, the hours named Europe can equal it. covering the great business traffic in

which is to contain the great botanical The Harlem river, having been de- gardens and zoological gardens of clared by congress a ship canal, the Greater New York, and within a few secretary of war has issued orders that | years this portion of the city will of-

Greater New York, which is 19 miles wide by 35 miles long, certainly offers

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#### THESE BE SONS OF ANAK. And Some of Them Were Born Before Columbus Discovered America.

the other can do the work.

which turn the draw, and can be

The great register of Alameda county, which is considered the true and official index to the age and height of the male residents of this city, contains some remarkable information e acerning well-known citizens, says tue San Francisco Examiner. County Clerk Frank C. Jordan prepared the work, and he has been highly complimented for the excellent production that gives full information about the electors. Since the register has been on the market circus freak managers and dime museum runners have been looking lovingly in this direction in the hope of securing profitable sideshow attractions. They have read the great register. It is shown by that document that prominent citizens attain a great height and live for centuries. The oldest man in Alameda county, according to the register, is W. liam Allen, a carpenter living in the Second Ward, who has attained the age of 776 years. John W. Alexander, a traveling man. is 405 years old and 11% feet high. Then there is George H. Allen, who used to be deputy recorder. He is apparently a young man, but in this register he is 326 years old and only 2 feet high. John O. Cadman, the San Francisco insurance man and great gunshot, would never be recognized by his friends from his official description, for he is registered 355 years and 91/2 feet in height. There are scores of others who are on the official list.

Wants to Find Her 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, William 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.

SOUTHWEST BREEZES.

Sarcasm is a rhetorical flower concealing a bee.

It disgusts us to see others doing the foolish things we do. Every man who has g reat faith has

great power for good. An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest.

No man was ever converted while

nursing an aching tooth.

A VANISHED CIVILIZATION. Work Done by the Jesuits in South America.

The pioneers of civilization in South America were the Jesuits, says Lippincott's. Although their influence in many respects may not always have been what was most conducive to the prosperity of the new settlement, yet their mode of treating the natives was more humane and their plan for the development and progress of the country more advanced than any other attempts of that period. They sought to establish a permanent home for their sect with a wealth and splendor that would equal that of the old world and their work was characterized by prudence, industry and wisdom. Other settlers came only as fortune-hunting adventurers to enslave the natives, pillage the country and then return to their own land with ill-gotten gains. Monuments of the Jesuits still remain in churches, aqueducts, cities in ruins and the history of 100 prosperous missions; from the Amazon to Brazil's southern borders we see their signs. The aqueducts of Rio de Janeiro, the hundred churches of Bahia, the stone water dams on the rivers of Goyaz, the crumbling ruins of almost every state of Brazil tell of the Jesuit occupation. Other settlers of that period left almost nothing behind them; their mission was to destroy, tear down and drive out the only element of good the country had, that they might establish the reign of terror, slavery and rapine that cursed the country so long.