

Cremation Becoming Popular.
The trustees of Mount Auburn cemetery, Cambridge, Mass., say in their annual report that cremation seems to be growing in favor. The first incineration there was on April 18, 1900, and since then fifty bodies have been cremated. One hour is required for the incineration of a body, and in two hours after the cremation the ashes can be delivered in a copper cylinder, terra cotta urn, or wooden casket. No incinerations are made at Mount Auburn on Sunday, unless the cause of death is certified to have been a contagious or infectious disease.

Ask your grocer for DEFIANCE STARCH, the only 16 oz. package for 10 cents. All other 10-cent starch contains only 12 oz. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Dr. Thomas O'Reilly, 74 years old, died of the grip. He practiced medicine in St. Louis for fifty-two years.

For Stomach, Liver and Bowels.
Indigestion is effectually cured by the original HERB medicine, GARFIELD TEA, which causes a normal action of the digestive organs.

The man who places the highest things first will be the first to get the highest place.

Home-Seekers' Excursions.
On the first and third Tuesdays of each month the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell round-trip excursion tickets from Chicago, Milwaukee and other points on its line to a great many points in South Dakota, North Dakota and other Western and Northwestern States at about one fare. Take a trip west and see the wonderful crops and what an amount of good land can be purchased for a little money. Further information as to rates, routes, prices of farm lands, etc., may be obtained by addressing F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

The kingliest are those who are kin to the King of Kings.

\$148 will buy new Upright piano on easy payments. Write for catalogues, Schmoller & Mueller, 1313 Farnam street, Omaha.

Women either love or hate; there is no happy medium in their affections.

You Can Get Allen's Foot-Ease Free.
Write to-day to Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y., for a FREE sample of Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It cures sweating, damp, swollen, aching feet. Makes new or tight shoes easy. A certain cure for Chilblains and Frost-bites. At all druggists and shoe stores; 25c.

Absence may increase true love, but it is rough on the counterfeit.

CONFEDERATE REUNION.
Memphis, Tenn., March 10.—At a recent meeting of the general executive committee of the Confederate reunion for 1901 a committee was appointed to join with the several commercial bodies of Memphis to visit Washington and invite President McKinley to be the guest of the city of Memphis on the occasion of the reunion in May next. The committee will leave for the national capital in a few days.

As the time for holding the reunion approaches the several committees are becoming more active. The city is being canvassed by the committee on hotels and accommodations and every available room is being registered. A. D. Langstaff, secretary of the commissary committee, a sub-organization of the general committee in charge of Confederate reunion arrangements, has been very active in the past week or so in the discharge of the duties assigned to him. He is engaged in planning ways and means for caring for the Confederate veterans when they come to the reunion. Many of the commands will very likely bivouack in order to observe strict army regulations and if this should prove true they will have to be cared for the same as if they were in actual service again, but with more care for their comfort. The commissary committee is to look after these matters. Mr. Langstaff announces that it is the purpose of the committee to have the means of caring for every Confederate veteran whether he is able to pay his own way or not, and they will do so if it is possible. They want it understood that the commissary committee is not organized to look only after those who are able to pay their own way, but to look after the rest as well.

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WILL BE LIFE FOR LIFE

Frank Dinsmore Must Pay the Penalty for His Odessa Crime.

SUPREME COURT RULES ON CASE

One of the Most Sensational Murder Trials in the State's Annals—Mrs. Laue Still in Jail at Kearney—Other Nebraska Matters.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 9.—Frank L. Dinsmore must pay his debt to society for disobeying its laws by forfeiture of his life.

This was the ruling of the supreme court, when it affirmed the judgment of the district court of Buffalo county.

Dinsmore was found guilty there of murdering Fred Laue at Odessa and sentenced by Judge Sullivan to hang by the neck until dead. There are two possibilities yet before the condemned man. One is that the court may grant a rehearing before the expiration of forty days and then reverse itself, and the others is exercise of the pardoning power by Governor Dietrich. Neither offers much hope.

Never in the history of the state has there been a murder trial that attracted so much attention as did that of Dinsmore. The man's relatives, respectable, well-to-do people, hired the most able counsel obtainable to defend him, and the county attorney impressed W. D. Oldham, then deputy attorney general of the state, into service to assist in the prosecution. The case was bitterly fought and newspapers the United States over devoted column after column to the sensational testimony.

One of the peculiar circumstances was that Mr. and Mrs. Dinsmore, who had been married less than a year, lived on the ground floor of the residence occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Laue. On the same night Laue was found dead in his bed from bullet wounds and Mrs. Dinsmore was found dead below, from poisoning.

The theory of the state was that Dinsmore had killed Laue, and on this charge he was prosecuted. Mrs. Laue was the most damaging witness against him. The evidence showed that illicit relations had existed between the defendant and Mrs. Laue, long before he brought his wife to live there. It was claimed that he murdered Laue and that Mrs. Dinsmore was gotten out of the way, that Dinsmore and Mrs. Laue might continue their relations without fear of detection. An attempt was made by newspaper correspondents at the time to show that Mrs. Laue was under Dinsmore's hypnotic power, despite the fact that there was nothing in the evidence on the point. Dinsmore did not take the stand in his own behalf.

When the sentence of the court had been pronounced he was brought to Lincoln and placed in the penitentiary for safe keeping. He rests there to-day, protesting, as he has ever since his arrest, that he is innocent, but insisting that he has no idea who committed the crime.

The date set by the district court for the execution was last July, but a stay was granted by the supreme court, which tribunal must now set another date. The time has not yet been determined. It cannot be within forty days. Mrs. Laue is still in jail at Kearney.

GARDNER A LIFE CONVICT.

Another of the Men Who Killed Herman Zahn Gets His Sentence.

FREMONT, Neb., March 9.—Edward Gardner, one of the convicted murderers of Herman Zahn, has been sentenced to imprisonment for life. "Have you anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced upon you?" asked Judge Grimison. "No, sir," was his reply, in a voice indicating deep emotion.

In delivering the sentence, the judge referred to the atrocity of the crime and the part which the evidence showed Gardner took in it, stepping over the body of Zahn lying on the floor in the agonies of death, and with his loaded revolver holding the men in the saloon off while the robbery was being completed; the shooting at others as he made his escape from the building. All this showed that he was equally guilty with his associate, Rhea, who fired the fatal shot.

In conclusion, the judge said: "You can consider yourself very fortunate that your life does not pay the penalty of your crime. The sentence of the court is that you be confined in the state penitentiary during your natural life, no part of the time to be in solitary confinement."

Father Ruesing's Donation.
WEST POINT, Neb., March 9.—Rev. Joseph Ruesing, head priest of the local St. Mary's Catholic church, gave assurance of a donation of \$15,000 to be applied toward the erection of an old folks' home and hospital in West Point, making one stipulation, that the city donate ten acres of land on which to rear the building.

Hoppers Hatch and Freeze.
FARNAM, Neb., March 9.—The eggs of grasshoppers in this vicinity were hatched out by the recent warm weather and when it turned bitter cold the young hoppers were frozen. The thermometer at one time registered 78 degrees. The apprehension of the farmers as to the hopper plague next summer are thereby relieved.

Fire Remains a Mystery.
LINCOLN, Neb., March 9.—"The origin of the penitentiary fire is uncertain, and may never be known," said Deputy Warden Bowers. "It was doubtless caused by electric light wires or a defective flue, which, we cannot say. We cannot even locate exactly the room where it started, but it was doubtless in one of the several rooms between the guards' sleeping apartments and the wardens' room in the main building. For my part, I place no credence in the theory that convicts started the fire."

Where the Money Went.

The Boston Medical and Surgical Journal says that a Boston physician was recently called to a family which he found in such destitute circumstances that he gave, in addition to his prescription, a \$5 bill. Happening in the next day, he discovered that his gift had been thus spent: Three dollars to the priest, which, of course, was all right, and \$2 to get another doctor.

A Valued Souvenir.

Colonel Walter French, the file clerk of the house of representatives, has an unusual souvenir of the visit of the Prince of Wales, now England's king, to this country many years ago. It is a large pink ticket to the "musical festival in honor of Lord Renfrew, October 18, 1860, at the Music hall, Boston." Colonel French purchased the ticket, but did not use it, except to paste in his interesting scrapbook of that period.

Methodist Medals.

Medals are to be given to the contributors to the Methodist twentieth century fund. Those giving \$5 or more in excess of last year will receive a bronze medal bearing the face of John Wesley; Sunday school scholars giving \$1 will receive a gilt medal with the face of Francis Asbury and donors belonging to the Epworth League will receive a bronze medal of Bishop Ninds.

ON VERGE OF INSANITY.

Mrs. E. A. Deacon Tells of a Case Where a Lady Was in This Serious Condition, but Was Saved.

East Randolph, N. Y., March 11.—(Special).—Mrs. E. A. Deacon of this town is Vice-President of the local Women's Christian Temperance Union. She is a lady of splendid capabilities, and these she has always directed towards the uplifting of humanity. What Mrs. Deacon says is accepted in East Randolph without question. No one has ever doubted her truthfulness or honesty of purpose.

Mrs. Deacon says: "My attention was first called to the remarkable curative value of Dodd's Kidney Pills, through the cure of a literary lady who was a friend of mine, and who from mental overwork was on the verge of insanity. After the failure of her physician to help her, her husband was advised to have her try Dodd's Kidney Pills, which she did with gratifying results. She used five boxes before she was completely cured, but at the end of two months' treatment, she was her own happy, brilliant self once more.

"Feeling languid and worn out myself, I thought they would perhaps be a help to me, and I am very glad to say that two boxes made a new woman of me. I feel ten years younger, am in the very best of health, and appreciate that it was entirely through the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I give them highest endorsement."

These cases are becoming very common in Cattaraugus County, and many ladies have had experiences similar to those of Mrs. Deacon and her friend. What Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for these suffering women, they will do for anyone who gives them a fair trial.

They are 50c. a box, six boxes for \$2.50. Buy them from your local druggist if you can. If he cannot supply you, send to the Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Twins Born in Different States.

While Mrs. P. T. Bulger of Portland, Ore., was traveling on a train toward Spokane, Wash., the other day twins were added to her family. The elder, a boy, was born in Oregon, and the other, a girl, in the state of Washington, an hour later. This is the first case on record where twins were born in different states.

He that courts injury will obtain it.

We must sow even after a bad harvest.

If You Have Dyspepsia
Send no money, but write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., Box 143, for six bottles of Dr. Shoop's Restorative; express paid. If cured, pay \$5.00—if not, it is free.

An ill-tempered dog has a scarred nose.

Dyspepsia is the bane of the human system. Protect yourself against its ravages by the use of Beeman's Peppin Gum.

England spends £123,866 a year on the British Museum.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on the box. 25c.

Never let fools see half finished work.

Ask your grocer for DEFIANCE STARCH, the only 16 oz. package for 10 cents. All other 10-cent starch contains only 12 oz. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Marriage with the sister of a deceased wife is not legal in England.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Do not wade when you see no bottom.

Piso's Cure is the best medicine ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. EXDSLEY, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

It is easy to recover from another man's adversity.

Don't Get Footsore! Get FOOT-EASE.

A certain cure for Swollen, Smarting, Burning, Sweating Feet, Corns and Bunions. Ask for Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. Cures Frost-bites and Chilblains. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

That which is false can never be scientific.

Don't ache, use Hamlin's Nizard Oil. Rheumatism, neuralgia and all pain banished by it. See your druggist.

Even he gets on who is drawn by oxen.

Sweat and fruit acids will not discolor goods dyed with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES.

Another new religious sect has been started in New York.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

[SEAL] A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

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The Inheritance Tax.

The New York inheritance tax is fat picking for the legal profession there. One firm received \$46,597 from the state for collections under the law last year; another \$35,276; another \$18,258; another \$15,000, and so on. This in addition to the official fees paid to the comptroller for receiving these taxes. And still there was a big residue for the taxpayers, after all these collection expenses were paid.

CATARRH THIRTY YEARS.

A Remarkable Experience of a Prominent Statesman.

CONGRESSMAN MEEKISON GIVES PE-RU-NA A HIGH ENDORSEMENT.



CONGRESSMAN MEEKISON, OF OHIO.

Hon. David Meekeison is well known, not only in his own State, but throughout America. He began his political career by serving four consecutive terms as Mayor of the town in which he lives, during which time he became widely known as the founder of the Meekeison Bank of Napoleon, Ohio. He was elected to the Fifty-fifth Congress by a very large majority, and is the acknowledged leader of his party in his section of the State.

Only one flaw marred the otherwise complete success of this rising statesman. Catarrh with its insidious approach and tenacious grasp, was his only unconquered foe. For thirty years he waged unsuccessful warfare against this personal enemy. At last Pe-ru-na came to the rescue, and he dictated the following letter to Dr. Hartman as the result:

"I have used several bottles of Pe-ru-na and feel greatly benefited there by from my catarrh of the head. I feel encouraged to believe that if I use it a short time longer I will be able to fully eradicate the disease of thirty years' standing. Yours truly, 'David Meekeison.'"

Many people can tolerate slight catarrhal affections. A little hoarseness, a slight cough, a cold in the head, or a trifling derangement of the digestive organs, do not much disturb the average person in his business. But this is not true of the public speaker or stage artist. His voice must always be clear,

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