







The Greatest City in the World. The last English census shows that London has been gaining rapidly in population during the last ten years.

During the period from 1870 to 1880, New York increased 28 per cent, but it gained only 284,288 inhabitants, not half so many as were added to London between 1871 and 1881; and its population last year was considered less than a third of that of the English capital.

But such estimates of what will happen in the future have only a curious interest. Many causes may contribute to make the growth of London much less proportionately during the next fifty years than it has been during the twenty years just passed.

Measuring by the Eye. A correspondent of the Boston Transcript suggests a method of measuring by the eye.

He would hold up his cane and each school child would be required to estimate the length of the cane within a half a foot, and then the length.

A True Story. Mr. Matthew Arnold has told us that the school system all through Germany is in its completeness and carefulness, such as to excite a foreigner's admiration.

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The Western Reserve. Several of the seaboard States at an early day, in fact, they were colonies, acquired claims to lands extending westward practically to the utmost limit.

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"SOLACE." The Origin of the Celebrated Tobacco Chewers' Consolation.

John Anderson, the great tobaccoist, millionaire and philanthropist, died recently; and that reminds me that some years since and not very long ago, but many years ago, I was in the company of Anderson, Ben Wood and Fernando Wood sat on the same bench together making cigars.

Anderson's big hit was made by his "Solace" tobacco, and this tobacco owes most of its luck to a name; and this name had its origin in the brain of an old New York Bohemian called Williams.

Anderson did so, and either the name or the tobacco made a tremendous hit. They were the greatest success after Anderson met Williams on the street and asked him to call at his store.

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