

takes a sprig of box as he enters the house, carries it in the funeral procession, and finally throws it into the grave of the deceased. Westminster The smallest shoe ever made for a male actor was that completed for Admiral Dot. It was 41 inches in length and 15 in breadth, or equal to an infant's No. 4.-Shoe and Leather Joe Jefferson told a story the other evening which rather let in a light In some play he was performing years ago, the scene called for refreshments, and several allusions were made to the ice cream, which was supposed to be in one of the dishes and looked good enough to eat. The property man who attended to the details of the stage feasts also He had to bring on a lighted candle and place it on the supper table. He had looked upon the wine when it was red, or beer when it foamed; at any rate was under some sort of alcoholic influence, the effect of which led him to so miscalculate in vision that he dropped the light into the dish and set fire to the ice cream. which was made of cotton batting. I knew before that stage wine was usually cold tea, and that ginger ale or soda water passed for anything that sparkled, while sliced apple is a favorite dish for theatrical banquets. Thinly sliced smoked beef, too, looks hearty for heavy meals and is greatly used for dramatic dinners as it looks showy and is not too filling! -Polly Pry in New York Recorder. A very interesting paradox is the one concerning an ordinary wagon wheel, which is solid and rigid, yet, when fastened on its axle on a wagon, when the wagon moves part of the circumference of the wheel which is in contact with the ground is for an instant at absolute rest, while the point directly perpendicular to it is flying along at a high rate of speed. The two points horizontal with the center of the wheel are traveling pretty fast, but only half as fast as the topmost point, and as the up going horizontal point increases in speed the down going one slows up until it is at rest for a moment when in contact with the ground. Yet the wheel is one solid piece, and there are only two points going at the same rate of speed at the same time. Yet if the wheel is taken off the axle and rolled down an incline every point of the circumference moves at the same rate of speed. A New Certain Cure for Piles. We do not intend to indorse any except articles of genuine merit; we therefore hour. I know something dreadful is since gone from other parts of the Mr. Garrich of Wrentham, word take pleasure in recommending to suffer-THE METROPOLITAN ers from Piles in any form, a prompt and In the words of the "immortal poet": Maurice had had a fine dog, but this came that ye buck was shot on ye permanent cure. The following letter the matter, but you mustn't keep it speak for themselves: had been killing chickens and eating The eastern band of Cherokees are Lord's day by Pequot, an Indian, speak for themselves: Mrs. Mary C. Tyler, of Heppner, Cre., writes: One pkg. of Pyramid Pile Care entirely cured me of piles from which 1 Inve suffered for years, and I have never had the slightest return of them since. Mr. E. O'Brien, Rock Bluffs, Neb., says: The pkg. of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely removed every trace of itching piles. I cannot thank you enough for it. The Pyramid Pile Cure is a new, cer-Jackson Superior Crackers and milk, Accident Association, from me. Tell me the worstatonce." eggs. He could not afford to keep a an interesting race of people. The | who came to Mr. Epes with a lyc in To the undying honor of that doc-tor, he did not laugh. All he said For young and old are fine as silk. Western North Carolina railway his mouth like Ananias of old. Reyal Insurance Building, Goats are a grand invention, and "Ye council therefore refused to passes within 10 miles of their reser------DEALERS WHO SELL----was: "My dear little woman, pray CHICAGO. eat ye venison, but it was afterward Maurice concluded to profit by the vation, Bryson City being the nearthat that beating will continue. If Yo r Time has a Money Value You discovery. So he bought a flock of est railway station. The chief Cherdecided that Pequot should receive **Jackson Superior Crackers** Should it ever stop, your baby will be dead."--Louisville Courier-Jourfour goats from a neighbor and turned them into his barnyard. Two okee town is known in English as 40 stripes save one, for lying and should Protect It. Yellow Hill. It is a rambling place profaning ye Lord's day, restore ARE SURE TO INCREASE THEIR TRADE. nal Indemnity \$100 per Month, of these were billies. through which rushes a bold moun- Mr. Epes ye cost of ye deer, and con-The Pyramid Pile Cure is a new, cer-tain, painless cure for every form of piles. It is safe, sure and cheap. Any druggist Death Benefit \$5000. tain stream, the Ocona Lufty. The sidering this a just and righteous One evening Maurice was attracted U. S. BAKING CO., JACKSON, MICH. Irish Repartee. Life Pension for loss of Limbs-Indian houses are all alike in design. sentence on ye sinful heathen, and They are built of logs, well fitted, that a blessing had been crayed on to the barnyard by the cries of his A countryman who was a witness will get it for you if you ask him, FILLMORE COTTRELL, MANAGAR. aged mother in-law, whose rheuma- was asked. "So you had a pistol?" W VAN METER, Agt., Buchanan

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In several rural districts in England, especially in the north, when a funeral takes place, a basinful of sprigs of box is placed at the door of the house where the corpse lies and each person who attends the funeral



had the courage to interfere. A policeman finally succeeded in lassoing and afterward shooting the dog, but before this was accomplished, the boy's body was terribly torn and lacerated. He will die.

E.S., are requested to meet in urgent communication this (Thursday) evening, at 7 o'clock, to arrange for attending the funeral of Sister Emma Fritts, be to held at the Methodist Church, on Friday, at 1:30 p.m.

church Monday evening, Miss Emma Wray lost her gold watch and chain. Next morning, about 10 o'clock, it was found in the middle of the sidewalk just north of Dr. Berrick's house, covered with snow. It was returned to her in good order and running as regularly as if it had been to the Christ-

cers of Buchanan Lodge No. 68, F. & A. M., were installed last evening: George Churchill, W. M. Charles Russell. S. W. A. A. Lamb, J. W. Aaron Miller, Treas. B. D. Harper, Sec. on, Stewards.

A. Fritts, died at their home in this village this morning after a short illness, aged 37 years. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Andrews of this township. She leaves her busband and one child, a little girl, to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother. The funeral will be from the M.E. church tomorrow (Friday) at 1:30 p. m., under the auspices of Sylvia Chap-

to a white bowl, or dish and watch the antics of the living animals therein. They will dart hither and thither with that agility practiced by a prize lighter. -Star.

stuff furnished by Niles waterworks, it is no great wonder the saloon business prospers there.

parental roof, at Mr. J. B. Crall's.

with Mrs. Smith daughter, Mrs. Carrie Cunningham.

gram yesterday announcing the death of his brother, Jacob Bishop, of Har

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BUSINESS OF TODAY.

REV. THOMAS DIXON, JR., ON "THE COURT OF HONOR."

The Next to the Last Sermon of the Secies on "The Prophecies of the World's Fair." Is the Modern Business World a Court of Honor?

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.-Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., surprised his audience in Association hall this morning by annonneing before the sermon that after the first day of January he would stop the publication of his sermons. He said: "I have informed the American Press Association that with the close of the present series I will no longer furnish my sermons for publication. I have two reasons for this: I am not yet 30 years old-I am writing too much thus early in life. I desire to spend several years in study before writing more. Besides, with my present methods of work and study 1 find the method of advance preparation of manuscript for the press an intolerable drain on my time and energies.'

The sermon this morning was on "The Court of Honor," the next to the last in the series of the "Prophecies of the World's Fair." The text chosen was from I Corinthians iii, 21, "All things are yours.'

But twice before in my life have been so profoundly moved as when I stood for the first time within "The Court of Honor" of the fair-once when I stood on the lofty summit of a grand mountain peak and looked down upon the great world God had made so beautiful, and once again when I first climbed the sand dunes of my native state and gazed upon miles of ocean breakers as they rolled in from the infinite deep and broke upon the beach with hiss and boom and sullen roar.

1 couldn't keep back the tears-who could that had a soul?

THE COURT OF HONOR. Julian Hawthorne has most beauti-

fully described that scene: "The pale gilded dome of the Administration building, the ranged columns of the peristyle, the pinnacles and the Diana dome, with the golden goddess floating above it and forever aiming her arrow at the wind's eye; the mighty statue of the republic, majestic with her uplifted arms and severe drapery, dominating the eastern end of the lagoon, and the white splendor of the great fountain at the other extremity, with that ravishing figure of Liberty sitting divinely erect in her chair on the poop of the barge, her eight maiden gondoliers oaring on either side, while Father Time steers on the stern, his scythe fastened to the tiller, and Progress alights on the bows, her trumpet in her hand; then the Venetian bridges that span the arms of the lagoon, with Kemey's matchless bears and buffalos guarding them; the mighty bulls and horses on the midway steps, the triumphal pillars marking the corners of the vast quadrangle with their slender white beauty, the exquisite little Greek temples in the foreground of the peristyle, the glorious lift and sweep, strength and spirituality, of the whole stupendous conception. which, despite its infinite variety, is a harmonious unit of design, and finally the gleaming, glancing lagoon itself, rhyming with the beauty above and multiplying it and rippling round the delicate noses of the gondolas as they flit noiselessly hither and thither with the est things by the most ravid process. O gallant figures of the Venetian oarsmen in how and stern. These things make an era in our national æsthetic education, and the development of our people in the knowledge and love of beauty will date from this happy epoch. "ALL THINGS ARE YOURS." I could but feel the clash between this scene of peace and beauty and glory and the actualities of the business world the walls of theso palaces covered. Will this great Court of Honor ever be really incarnated in our business? Or is the conflict irrepressible and hopeless between the divine and the rush for gain? "All things are yours," even business, and the business world, and a business career and a business life. Yet the more I see of modern business, as transacted today, the sadder it makes me. 1 never have to enter into a business transaction that calls me into direct touch with the supreme spirit of our modern commercial life, as at present conducted, that it does not make me heartsick. I feel, when through with it, as if I wanted to get off somewhere in a desert and scratch out a cave in the side of a hill and live on herbs in a simpler, honest life. If there is in any man's mind a doubt as to whether the modern spirit of successful business is in harmony with the spirit of Jesus Christ, all he has to do is first to know what Jesus Christ taught, and then go with that spirit in his heart into your modern refrigerator of a thoroughly up to date, down to the last minute business transaction. Is a successful business of today a field in which a true (Inristian, desiring the highest and noblest things, can enter and hope to succeed, and at the same time hold his Christian integrity? Does the Court of Honor rule our busi-

ness world is war, competition, brutal fight-every man for himself. It is the strongest arm that wins, and the weakest ones are trampled to the earth and killed and beaten without mercy. War and pestilence are the only hope to regulate our population, according to the principles of this modern business world. The brutal survive, while the weak per-

gulf that separates heaven from hell.

The first principle of your modern husi-

ish. What is to become of this vast army of weaklings? Well, our Malthusian philosophers say: "We will have a pestilence by and by, and God will send us the cholera. Or if not God in his goodness and mercy will send us a war, and war will thin the ranks, and the battle will begin again. After the weaklings have been eliminated the world will not be so crowded, and we can proceed."

Such is the basis on which modern commerce rests. In this battle, this war, this madness, this struggle, the very competition which has been called the life of trade is its defeat. For you have only to press competition to a certain period when men who are fighting each other know they must combine or die. Only press your competition far enough, and it is either suicide or com-

bination. This brings into your world, governed by that principle, infinite confusion, for when that defeats itself and no new system takes its place the result is chaos-cheating, lying, swindling.stealing, crime, intemperance, suicide, despair. Why do men open saloons and sell

whisky? Why, because they have accepted this modern principle of the modern world that the strongest man is the man that is worthy to survive; that it is a battle, a war, and he who is victorious is the man who is crowned, let the business be what it may. Hence the gambler who does not hesitate about his methods, saying that might constitutes the first principle of your modern world. Daily facts these are. Lying in the business world-so much there is of it in all trades! Overreaching is what

thousands of men are after in the business world. To overreach a man and get the better of him by some trick; to get out of him more than we give in return. That is the sum total of the pur pose of some lives. If in war a man is wounded, you pass him by. Most heartless of all things in the world is your modern business war. When a man fall by the wayside in modern business, the world has no mercy, no heart, no ear to

pity, no arm to save. That is modern business.

THE HONEST BUSINESS MAN.

Christianity is certainly in deadly conflict with that sort of life-successful business with modern methods down to date. There are business men who are honest. There are men who have set out in the world with the determination to make houor and truth and the good of society their aim, and they have grown wealthy, some of those men. They have grown powerful. Now, that being a fact, the man who departs from that law and says that he can justify himself on the grounds of success has be-lieved a lie that he may damn himself in the process. There are mentoday whose business career is absolutely above reproach. I might mention a thousand successful business enterprises that have been founded thus on integrity. So much the worse for the success that may be otherwise. But, a man says, the quickest way to get richwell, you do not have to be too conscientious. Now and then just shut one eye, and then you will reach the high-

hearts blood. "As for the man that can ous Tilles, Desides Theing most suitable undersell another man and make it posfor beams and uprights in domestic arsible to undersell by cheating clerks and chitecture.-London Cor. Manchester giving small wages and making them Courier. work their lives out-I would rather go

Fun In Maine.

to a man that gives his clerks honest Tears have often been shed over the salaries. The time may come in your partiality of the red ear at the husking, life when adversity may be yours, and yonr loved ones are thrown on this great although nobody up to date has quesulgar labor market of the world, and tioned that kissing should go by favor, in your own flesh and blood others can but we see by the report of a Vassalboro husking bee, in the Waterville trade in dollars and cents. If you get Mail, that for once the old rule was set what are called bargains today, it means aside, and the ideas of some of our sosomebody's heart is broken-somebody cialistic friends as to "fare and fare else has paid for it too high a price. alike" got in their work, for "no mat-I do not want anything to do with ter how reserved in manners or how fasbusiness transactions where the princitidious and how short the acquaintance,

every woman was smacked, and it was ples that are used are such that an indihard to tell who acted the worse, the vidual would not touch. We have boys or that portion of the assembly corporations. A distinguished man made up of the older men, the balddied some years ago in New York city, headed men or old bachelors."-Lewisthe soul of honor in every personal ton Journal. transaction. His servants stood weep-

SOULLESS CORPORATIONS.

ation and swindle thousands.

personally. Let us understand, then,

THE HEART IN THE WORK.

Hunting a Bride.

ing by the door when he died. He did not owe a cent. Everything was paid A curious custom prevails at wedfor in cash. He said:"Do not owe your dings among the Soudanese Arabs. Aftworkingman a cent. It is dishonest to er various ceremonies, including a prokeep his wages from him, unless you cession and a marriage feast, the almost pay him interest on it - pay him invariable accompaniments of weddings promptly." But he was at the head of in the east, the bridegroom is led about gigantic corporation that held a mo-9 o'clock in the evening into a large nopoly and made his fortune out of the dimly lighted room. Here on one side, lives of a community that were ground huddled upon the floor, are the female in the process. And when men aprelatives and driends of the bride. In proached him he said, "I am honest in t he farther cors.er are four or five maidall my transactions, but a corporation ens of the same height and size, wearhas got no soul." God does not call coring precisely similar clothing and closeporations to account. The devil does not ly veiled. One of these is the bride, and call them to account. They have no the young man has to find out which it soul. They will even cheat the devil. is. If he has been wise, he has bribed But God does call the individuals that

one of the old women spectators to give constitute the corporation to account. him a secret sign by which to guide his God will call to account all the persons choice. If not, he attempts to seize the involved in the conduct of that business. veiled figure whom he suspects to be Individuals will thus render their ach**is** bride. counts at the last. Why, you know that

If possible, she slips from his grasp town council and a school committee and runs away, he in hot pursuit. An sometimes will be cruel and unjust exciting chase through the chamber and unprincipled in a transaction that follows, until he is able to catch her, an individual man or woman would when he tears away the veil from her scorn to stoop to. A merchant who face. If it is his bride, the game is endwould scorn to sell flour mixed with ed, and another ceremony, called the chalk, scorn to mix up his goods and ghalwa, or bride dance, begins. But adulterate them and sell them to the if he has made a wrong choice he must world, who would kick another man try again, and the captured girl, after out of his store who would offer him rearranging her disordered dress, takes a trick by which he could adulterate her place again among her companions. sugar or flour or coffee-vet sometimes Again he makes a selection, and aftthose very men will go into a corporer another long struggle succeeds in unveiling a second maiden, possibly only If you think you can, through the to find that he has caught the same girl rocess of your social or political maover again. Many hours may be conchinery, cheat Almighty God, let me sumed in this way, and sometimes assure you that, while men may not unmorning dawns before the unlucky derstand, the great God of heaven and bridegroom secures his bride.-Youth's earth understands, and you are just as Companion. responsible as though you had done it

Frances Willard on Marriage.

that while cannibalism may be justified One of Frances Willard's intimate on the high seas sometimes, the soul of friends says that the great temperance the world still revolts at it. Some sailleader is personally a lovely woman ors came in the other day and reported with delicate features and dainty hands, that starving to death, they fell on a and that her evident fascination for brother sailor and ate his body. They men of taste is very evident. A gifted man once wrote to her, "Dear friend, methinks your heart deceives you, for when we meet, though you hardly look at me, you speak kindly, and I take this as a token." To which she replied, 'Dear brother, this is the explanation: I had a clear and direct gaze until study weakened my eyes, and I protect them now by studying the carpet." So naffectedly kind and cordial to all

mankind is this famous lady that many of them have paid her the compliment of offering her their hearts and hands. Indeed so numerous and importunate are her love letters that it is necessary to have them answered by her secretaries

OLD AND NEW COINING. A Modern Press That Is to Do the Work In

the Philadelphia Mint. The striking of medals in the coiners' department of the United States mint has for years been by means of the screw and fly press. The screw in this press is 6 inches in diameter, and there are three threads with a pitch of three inches. The double lever attached to the head of the screw is 13 inches in length, or 612 feet either way from the center of the screw, and upon the ends of the arms are mounted balls weighing about 150 pounds.

Three men are employed in the working of the press-one to arrange the blanks to be struck upon or between the two hardened steel dies, while one at each end of the lever furnishes the power to raise the screw and then by a rapid movement cause the same to descend to the work, they being careful at the proper moment to step inside to avoid being struck by the recoil of the lever. Two and a half revolutions of the screw give with all the force the men can impart a blow or pressure equivalent to 250 tons.

In the striking of a 4 inch diameter medal some 50 or 60 blows are necessary to complete the medal. The blank. which becomes hardened by the force of each blow, must be annealed. Each time consequently the amount of labor bestowed makes the cost of such medals auite high.

Some 19 years since the idea was conceived that the introduction of hydraul ic pressure would be more satisfactory and produce better results, both as to cost and execution. The trial was then made on an ordinary hydraulic press, such as is used for forcing the wheels of a locomotive on the axle, made at the machine works of William Sellers & Co. An accident occurring in the bursting of the steel collar, by which the then coiner of the mint was injured, had a dampening effect upon the scheme, though the idea never met with encouragement, until some two years since, when an opportunity was offered to make a test of the pressures required to make the various coins. This' being so satisfactory and having gained the conclusive knowledge that for years had been only guess work, it encouraged the revival of the idea, and plans and estimates were framed for a press that should have a capacity of striking pressure equivalent to 2,000 tons.

The contract for this press was awarded to Messrs. William Sellers & Co. at a cost of \$7,000. The designs having been approved, the press was completed in September, and upon trial at the works the recult was most satisfactory. The dies used upon the trial were those of the 4 inch General Grant medal. The blanks were submitted to a pressure of 1,000,000 pounds, and the second pressure after the annealing of the blank almost finished the medal. One blank, upon which the pressure was exerted three times in succession, was found to be more than was necessary. The press is complete in detail and symmetrical in design. It is an arch or oval in form, the base and head being heavy iron castings, the whole being secured by two cast steel bands 4 inches thick and 6 inches wide. These bands were submitted to a strain of 3,000,000 pounds each before being put in place. The ram is located in the upper or head casting and is placed in a steel case. It

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GEORGE W. FALES, Complainant vs. Elvina H. FALES, Defendant In this cause, it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant, Elvina H. Fales, is not a resident of this state but is a resident of the state of North Dakota. On motion of complainant's solicitor, it is or-dered that the appearance of said non-resident de-fendant, Elvira H. Fales, be entered therein within four (4) months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance she cause her answer to the bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof served on the complainant's solicitor within twenty days after the service on her of a copy of said bill and notice of this order, and in default thereof said bill will be taken as confess-ed by said non-resident defendant. And it is therefore ordered that within twenty days the complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a news. paper printed, published and circulating in said county, and that said publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in suc-cession.

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arrested them and put them in jail. They are moting trial for their life. They will not be convicted, because the jury will say that it was life or death. They cast lots. They could not execute man for saving himself from starvation. But when a man eats his neighbor for the very luxury of eating him, just takes the choice parts of his body and discards the others, if there is any law above the carth or under it or on

it that will justify that I have yet to Enter and abide, young man, in no business that you cannot put your heart in. Some of us have to do things that

ness world? To answer that question you must ask

another.

First-What is Christianity? It is sacrifice and the spirit of sacrifice. Jesus said if a man would save his life, let him lose it. That is the cardinal principle of Jesus Christ. That is the first and last principle of Christianity. Jesus lived that and died it. He sought no powerful friends. He made none. He had no home in which to lay his head. He accumulated no wealth. He had no army to follow him. He wrote no book. He made no creed. He gathered a few simple fishermen about him, who were disciples, adherents, followers in life, in heart, in purpose, and he laid down his life, judging from a modern business point of view, an absolute failure. He only lived 33 years,

and he threw away every opportunity he had of a successful career. He might have put himself at the head of an army and conquered the ancient kingdom of the Jews and thrown off the triple yoke of a Roman and kingly tyranny if he had but so desired. He threw that opportunity away again and again. He might have been wealthy, if he had used his magnificent powers to accumulate wealth. He might have had the great and powerful as his friends, but when people came to crown him and make him their leader he escaped. And he died a most miserable death, amid the mock and jeer and scorn of his enemies, crucified between two thieves, with not a grave that he could call his own, his very clothes stripped from his body, dying thus outside the walls of Jerusalem, a miserable felon, deserted by his disciples, disowned by all who knew him except a few faithful women. That is the kind of life he lived. That is what he meant when he said, "If a man would save his life, let him lose it, and

course when you get your money you can do a great deal of good with it. Right may fail for a moment today, but it is certain to rise tomorrow. Men that are shrewd and cunning, men that are willing to lie and be unfair and dishonest,

may get their riches for awhile, but as sure as there is a God in heaven it will turn to ashes at last in their grasp. Christianity is today the real power that rules this world. You think the devil is ruling it on the top, but Christianity is the real power that rules it beneath the surface. Some years ago in Paris money was flowing like water,

and it was runnored around among politicians that all one had to do was to shut one eve and open the other, and he would be rich in a minute. There is plenty of money in the world; why not you have a little? The press is on our side. You can make a million as easily

as snap your finger. So they reasoned and this man fell and that. Nobody knew anything about it. Millions flowed in every possible direction. Men high in position succumbed to it. Well, they succeeded, invested their millions. They had their money and their day, but the day of wrath came at last. And now poor weeping France looks on, and one great man falls and another and another. And the poor little fool that was in the assembly that day and said:"1 believe in old fashioned honor and integrity, and I will not have your money. I will vote as my conscience dictates"he was described as a fool and an idiot then, but now he is the only man that can hold his head up and look the world

squarely in the face. The great principles of right and truth are those that really are guiding and directing the world. Every doubtful business in this world could be swept from the face of the earth, and the earth would be richer. Whenever men ask you to enter into a successful business transaction, remember that this world can do without that transaction and be the better for it, and you had better let it alone. It is not the easiest way, this way of Christian life, as against this modern business method, but it is the only true way. Christians in the past had a hard time to live; then they died. They were put to death in the arena. They marched over burning plowshares. The Christian man today can live better, easier, with less sacrifice called for by modern life, than ever before in the history of the world.

And the man that says, "I cannot live today unless I do these things," simply Is the business world in conflict lies. with Christianity? So much the worse for the business world. The curse of God—a living, withering, blasting curse—is on that society, on that commerce that makes success possible against truth and right and honor.

HONEST WORK SACRED. "All things are yours," and because

for a Christian its obligations are high. It is yours; but, precisely because it is. it is holy ground. The merchant that sits at his desk is doing as sacred a work, when honest in his transactions and dealings, as I do when 1 am here at this desk before you on Sunday. The laborer at his anvil, the farmer who holds his plow, every workingman that does his work unto the Lord, is doing a sacrea work. His shop, his office, his place of business, is as sacred as the high altar of God to him, for God called him there to be the high priest. But, you say, what is the use to be honest? People love to be humbugged. But, my friend, for your own sake, be honest. Most people, take them all in all,

have a large streak of fool in them. if he would find it let him lay it down." They will run after special bargains A chain of compressed cakes of with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they line a 28 pound trout. WHAT FAITH IS. gun cotton tied around the trunk of | cannot reach the seat of the disease. and sales. For your own heart and life The second principle of Christianity the largest sized tree and exploded | Catarrh is a blood or constitutional he houest. You do not fool yourelf, and A Rival to Oak. disease, and in order to cure it you The representative of a well known will, by the action of their violence, is what we call faith-the power to bewhen you mark your goods to fool the have to take internal remedies. lieve in something-to believe in God people and to rope in the unwary you firm of builders informs me that he be- | cut the tree down instantly and as Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and and in man, our brother, the image of know in yourself you have degraded lieves that he has hit upon a discovery smoothly as though done by an ax acts directly on the blood and mucous God. The next principle is that of yourself. You have sold your own soul in a Borneo wood called "bilian." It in the hands of an experienced woodsurfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is no love-love to God and man. That is to out to the devil in the process. Be honhas a very close grain and in appearman. Timber cutters working among quack medicine. It was prescribed by est and avoid every man who in the ance is not unlike ebony, more especialbe a Christian, and that is Christianity. the forest giants of Montana, Idaho one of the lest physicians in this 1 take it from the definitions of Jesus. process of the business world seeks to ly after exposure to the air. Its main oountry for years, and is a regular preand Washington declare it to be the virtue, however, consists in its breakfrom his life and cl racter and from coin money out of other people's blood. cheapest and the most economical scription. It is composed of the best I am done with bargains, sheriff's sale ing strain, which is greater even than his recorded word. tonics known, combined with the best mode of felling trees that has as yet Second-What is business-modern, and bankrupt clothing establishments. that of English oak. Moreover, "bilblood purifiers, acting directly on the been devised. Only experienced persuccessful business-today? In the first If you support those establishments, you lan" is not a particularly heavy wood, mucous surfaces. The perfect combisons with suitable electrical apparaare trading in the blood of broken place, it rests upon the antithesis of since it only weighs 60 pounds per cubic nation of the two ingredients is tus for exploding the dangerous masacrifice. Sacrifice represents one pole, hearts and homes, for it took good, hard foot, against the 80 pounds of boxwood. what produces such wonderful results Further, it seems remarkably free from terial used in this operation should business the other pole, and the differlabor to make those goods, and if they in curing catarrh. Send for testimonience that separates them is a gulf as are sold at less than it costs to make the propensity to swell in water, and so attempt such short cuts in time and als free. would be extremely useful for subaque- | labor saving .- St. Louis Republic. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O deep and wide and as impassable as the them you are buying the price of good Sold by druggists, price 75c.

are disagreeable. If you have to choose your profession, choose something that you can put your heart in, or you will never be successful in it. They had a competition in plans for a monument for Walter Scott in Scotland, and a man who was a simple carpenter once, Mr. Kemp, won the prize, and the plans

find it.

were accepted for that monument that stands now the tribute of Scotland's love to this matchless genius. Why did he succeed? As he passed along the road one day a dusty carpenter boy, a gentleman driving in his carriage saw e was tired and stopped his horse, and the great man said, "Get up and ride with me." So he became acquainted with Sir Walter Scott and learned to love and admire him. And it was one of the inspirations of his life that led him to become a master architect more

than a carpenter. And when they threw the competition open to the world, this man drew the matchless monument that now stands there incarnated in marble. Why? Because his heart was in it. Other men could not compete with him, because he had put his soul into it. The highest success in life is that work in which a man can thus put his soul, his heart. The heart, after all, is worth more than mere success and mere dollars and cents.

Let us at least hope that our children will live to see the day that there shall in deed and truth be a grand Court of Honor in the midst of the world's business in which beauty and righteousness shall rule.

Two Southern Families.

The following two families make a showing which is difficult to find excelled, even in the prolific mountain regions of Tennessee and North Carolina. The Rev. Asa Routh is a Baptist preacher residing at Piny Flats, Sulli-van county, Tenn. He is a spry old gentleman, about 70 years old, and still fills his regular appointments at several preaching places. He is the father of 33 children, all of them living. Mr. Routh has been married twice, and his second wife is still living and helping to take care of the family. Mr. Routh is almost deaf, but otherwise shows no signs of old age or decay. His family is nearly equally divided as to sex, there being 17 boys and 16 girls.

The other family is that of Moses Williams, colored, who lives on a farm near Fayetteville, N. C. He is a lively young chap of 65, but doesn't look it. He also is living with his second wife. There have been born to him 45 children-40 of them girls. By his first wife there were 20 girls and three boys, and by the second 20 girls and two boys. Nearly all of them are living .- Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Double Catch.

The Eganville (Ont.) Star is responthe business world is a legitimate field sible for the following story: A young man named Tom French, hailing from Renfrew, in the employ of Mr. John McGuire at Barry's Bay, went out on the bay in a small bark canoe trolling for trout. After paddling for quite awhile he observed a large buck coming toward him. When near the canoe, it turned and made for the shore quickly, followed by Tom, who, when he came alongside of the beauty, saw that its horns were entangled in the troll line, the result being that the canoe and its occupant were pulled toward shore. Mr. Joseph Prince then appeared on the scene in another cance, when the two men, with the aid of their paddles, succeeded in dispatching the noble denizen of the forest. When the exciting battle was over, Tom noticed on the end of his

with the statement that she has no time for other than business correspondence. Some of these letters of late date prove that age cannot wither nor custom stale her infinite variety. Still, Miss Willard has a high opinion of men in general, though she has never honored any man with her hand, and, to quote her own words, "If there is a spectacle more odious and distasteful than a man who hates women, it is a woman who hates men." Hert heory of marriage in relation to society gives this postulate. 'Husband and wife are one, and that one is--husband and wife."

The Most Stubborn Jury Yet.

The most remarkable case in Texas legal history was tried at Oakland before Justice English-Mrs. Ella Halloway versus J. H. Van Alstyne. The case consumed the day and was given to the jury at night. Before retiring the jury demanded that each man be paid his 50 cent fee. The justice demurred and ordered them to bring in a verdict, or they would get no fee. The jury retared, and in 15 minutes entered court. They had a sealed verdict.

Before turning it over to the justice the jury struck for their hard earned fees. Under protest the justice gave each juror 50 cents. He opened the ver-

dict, which read, "The jury cannot agree." This enraged the court. He demanded the 50 cents each juror had been paid. The jury refused, and the court ordered them locked up until a verdict was given pro or con. After being out another hour the jury reported they were still unable to agree.

Judge English then demanded the return of the fees. The jurors refused to surrender, and a fine of \$2.50 each was assessed and their incarceration ordered. A compromise was finally reached by four of the jury returning the fees and the other two paying the fine of \$2.50. The higher courts will be in-

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flicted with the case.-St. Louis Globe-

Negroes Who Pass For Whites. At the census of 1880 nearly 34 per cent of the colored population was under 10 years of age, while at the census of 1890 only 28 per cent was under 10 years of age. Samuel E. Tatum, a Wash-ington negro. in explaining this, says: 'It may be a fact that the colored population is constantly falling off in its increase, for which there may be a great many reasons. We should first take

into consideration the vast number of people of color leaving the race yearly. There are thousands who emigrate from the south so light in complexion that in the north they are supposed to be white, and in this way a vast number of families in the course of a decade lose their identity as people of color."--Washington Correspondent.

A Fasting Hog. Dr. Free Harris owns a hog that is fasting. She has not eaten or drunk anything for two months. She seems happy and contented, and no amount of tempt ing food will she take. She runs around the street and seems determined to outdo Dr. Tanner in the act. Much interest is felt in the outcome, and some betting. She is gradually losing flesh.-Dalton (Ga.) Dispatch.

A Mean Man.

There is a man in Philadelphia so mean that when he is asked to join in singing "Old Hundred" he churns off "Ninety and Nine" instead. He says he has got to make 1 per cent anyway these hard times .-- Texas Siftings.

Queer Mode of Felling Large Trees.

inch gives on this area the pressure of 2,000 tons. There is a graduated device attached by which any desired pressure can be secured and held for any length of time. Experiments will soon enable the person in charge of the press to determine the amount of pressure required for the various sizes of medal. The movement of the ram up and down is simply by the pressure of the oil from the tank, situated about 15 feet above the room, the maximum pressure being supplied by a thin throw pump and is only exerted during about the last half inch of the stroke of the ram. The power to drive the pumps is supplied by means of a 71% horsepower Eddy electric motor of a slow speed type. For the annealing of blanks there is a small gas oven, and it is very satisfactory. It has been demonstrated by the experiments already made that the pressure of 20,000 pounds per square inch is required to cause such metals as gold, silver and copper to commence to flow or become fluid. Very interesting results are expected from the installment of this plant, which will add so much to the advantage of the government.-Philadelphia Telegraph.



James O'Rourke died in Fitch hospital recently. Postmortem Examiner Thornbury held an autopsy and found imbedded in the center of O'Rourke's heart a stone about the shape of an English walnut, which weighed between four and five ounces. The heart was abnormally large, being nearly four times as big as a man's heart usually is. It took up a large portion of the chest cavity which is usually occupied by the left lung.

The stone was in the aortic cavity and almost completely filled it up. The only opening through which the blood could flow was a space about the size of a small goose quill, and for a long time past the heart had been able to do only about one-eighth of its work. The formation of stone is of a calcerous nature. The case is without precedent and opens a new field for surgical research.-London Dispatch.

Welcomed. The following bit of dialogue is related to have taken place between an actor and manager of a since disbanded company:

Manager-What do you mean by actually smiling during the performance of the death scene, as I saw you do tonight? Actor-I couldn't help it. With the

wages we get now death comes as a happy release.—New York Herald.

When Booth and Coquelin Met. "I often recall with interest," writes

Mrs. Lucy H. Hooper from Paris to a Philadelphia paper, "the only time that Constant Coquelin and Edwin Booth ever met. They breakfasted with me on the occasion of Booth's first visit to Paris after his London engagement. I longed for an artist to sketch the pair, one as perfect an embodiment of comedy as the other was of tragedy. Neither could speak a word of the other's language, yet so vivacious were their gestures, so expressive the changing play of their features, that words were scarcely needed. I, who acted as interpreter, found it necessary merely to indicate what one or the other wished to say, and then the subject would be so vividly carried on by looks and movements that no further ndications were wanted."

Catarrh Can't Be Cured.



Wash Bowls, Closets, Are you going to put up any new fencing this Fall? If so don't pay something for nothing. See S. Ferguson, of Dayton, or write him for prices on the National Fence. Get something that is stayed to stay and put up on its merits. Fence adopted by World's Fair management. S. FERGUSON, Dayton, Mich. and everything to do a first-class job of **PipeWorkorPlumbing**

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