VARIETIES.

The locon otive was invented in 175 by Watt, and patented in 1784.

succeeding two years. Tennyson's new poem is called "The Close of Another Eve." Are they those that were left out on the line and

Every man thinks that there is only one man in the world who can stop drinking when he has had exactly enough-and that he is the man .-Puck.

gathered in by a moonlighter?—Ex.

A funeral is a tiresome preacher's opportunity. Turn him on to a large congregation and he will make the mourners wish the party had never

The Toronto Globe says that if Rie hangs physically, Sir John A. McDonald will hang politically. But even then Sir John will breathe freer than

When the Female Suffragists get out their declaration of independance it is presumed that they will commence it thus: "When in the course of few men events."-Texas siftings.

"She wore white roses on her breast the night we said good-bye," observed a poet. It is not mentioned that her father wore his boots as usual, though some will consider that quite important -Buffalo Express.

The man who injects either bribery or deception into popular suffrage is an enemy of his country It won't do to fight the devil of political corruption with their own sort of fire. National ruin lies that way.

Phrenologist: "Your bump fo imagination is abnormally large, sir." Citizen: "I do write poetry. Only yes terday I took a poem to an editor, and that bump you are feeling is where he hit me. Do n't bear on it so hard."

Whatever else there may remain to discover conserning Grover Cleveland, the American people have learned that he has the courage of his convictions, and that he, at least, is a president who river of late quite frequently. At has some influence with the Administrations.

No people can possibly thrive cu the mortgage system. To give liens on their farms, or, what is even more reckless still, on crops that are to be grown, is the certain road to financial trouble and possibly to complete pov-

A Brooklyn young man was reading "Hamlet" to his sweetheart the other day, and came to the passage, "Or if thou wilt needs marry, marry a fool. "Is that a proposal, dear?" she asked. "Yes, darling," he replied: and they settled the matter there and then.

A clergyman in Central Illinois reported to have startled his flock a few Sundays ago by the announcement: next Sunday forenoon. The Lord will into the imperial democratic party goods. be with us during the morning ser- when he found that the republican

When a man, no matter where he was born, takes an oath to become an American, he should thenceforth be a thoroughbred American without any qualifying nationality or alienage in front of his American citizenship to give him a specific, though hybrid, des- who is divorced from his wife, at

a daily paper, asked: "Mamma, isn't it baby girl. He is also charged with takgoing very high?" "Yes my love, it is." ing a shot at John Burk, who attempted "Do you think it will get beyond that to intercept him. He has been held to cloud?" "It wouln't surprise me if it answer charges of abduction, attempting did; why do you ask?" "Well, I to murder and carrying a consealed thought if it went as far as that the weapon, and lies in jail in default of dear Lord might read the news.

Party lines were completely obliterated in the municipal election in reports that a committee of the citizens fit in every particular. Nashville last week. Both the candi- of Albany are working vigorously to dates for Mayor belonged to the same secure the \$50,000 required to induce party, and one of them was an efficer the O. P. railroad company to extend in the Federal army during the late its line from corvallis to Albany. The war. Surely that war is receding into subscription has been headed by John the past. Let it go, and let all good Crawford with the munificent donation citizens turn their faces to the morn- of a perpetual 40-horse water power, business is one door north of the

Gabe Snodgrass recently applied to pany will willingly accept at \$12,000, the Rev. Aminidab Bledso of the Blue the price it is put down for. Light Austin Tabernacle for pecuniary assistance. "I jess can't do hit," replied Parson Bledso; "I has to s'port of encouraging athletic sports and furmy pore ole mudder," "But yer pore nishing amusement for themselves durold mudder says yer don't do nuffin for ing their leisure time. They have her." "Well, den, of I don,t do nuffin rented the hall in the second story of for my pore ole mudder what's the use John Orth's brick building, which is ob an outsider like you trying to make being put in shape for the gymnasium. K me shell out?"-Texas Siftings.

A story worth telling of the lat-Prof- Charles O, Thompson illustrates both his quickness of thought and marvelous memory. One morning some waggish Worcester students replaced the large chapel Bible with Webster's Dictionary, and the Profess or, rising to officiate at prayers, read, without an instant's hesitation, a long psalm from the Dictionary page, to the

"Now, I's gwine to make one allowance; for though de arth don't move a wink from her 'ternal foundations, de day am a comin' when she's a gwine to move, busted wid fire, an' all de sky a rollin' away like a burnin' newspaper in de wind. O sinner, you had better cially Salem, regret losing so estimable take car', you better be a movin' too. Shake hands wid Jesus to-day, so's von of a host of friends will accompany won't be callin' onto de mountains to him to his future home in Kansas. fall on yer souls in de awful day ob de He leaves for that State on Tuesday Taken in Exchange for Goods. next. -Statesman. Low."-Brother Jasper.

STATE NEWS.

Ohio has 2017 voting precincts. Govenor Moody yesterday appointed Rufus K. McHarg of New York and Julius Robertson of St. Louis to be commissioners for this state for the

From a gentleman who arrived from Portland it is learned definitely that N. S. Du Boise of Portland is to be the next lessee of the Chemekete hotel. It is not positively known how soon the change will be made.

We learn that at a meeting of the Board of Regents of the State Agricultural College, held at Corvallis last Wednesday, Prof. T. F. Campbell of Eugene was elected Professor of mathematics in that institution of learning.

A carload of carp started from Washington city, yesterday, destination, Portland, Oregon. Some of the fish will be left at points en route, but the bulk of the load will be brought through, and will arrive in a few days for distribution.

A farmer living near Spokane has this season made an experiment in the cultivation of sorghum, which resulted so satisfactory in the manufacture of sorghum molasses that many farmers in that locality will engage in the business next season on a large scale.

Mr. H. S. Strange gave a fine declamation at chapel Thursday, and Mr. A. Muligan closed the week's rhetorical with a similar declamation Friday. These declamations, essays, etc., are getting to be an interesting feature of the chapel exercises and have been witnessed by many visitors of late .-Salem Talk.

Numerous bands of fine hogs are to be seen in every part of the valley. 'What shall the harvest be" is the question. Three cents a pound sounds low for hogs in this country-not because it costs more to raise them here than in other places, but because the price has always been higher in the past.-Tidings.

Salmon have been observed in the Harrisburg last Sunday they were discovered to be running in quite large numbers. If measures can be adopted to protect them in their ascent of the ladder, a good supply of fish may be hereafter looked for in the upper river. -Dissiminator.

The wheat yield of the Inland Empire is astonishing. Fully 600,000 acres in Eastern Oregon and Washing- into our new Store we propose ton have been harvested with an avergreat snow storm last winter contributed to the result, The O. R. & N. Co. is making large earnings. Enough at such low prices that notwithwheat is in sight to load 100 cars a day

Prof. C. W. Roby. Portland's new postmaster, is a democrat from consid- able everybody to buy our "Remember our communion services erable back-fifteen years. He backed vices and the Bishop in the evening." party had become corrupt at the core. he hails from the old home of Brick Pomeroy, La Crosse, Wis. The Chinese Daily has been lying about him because he is not a mugwump.-Cour-

P. G. Strickland, an old stage-driver Meacham, Union county, swooped A little girl watching a kite made of down on the family and abducted the

> The Albany Herald-Disseminator well worth \$15,000, which the com Post Office.

Many of the young men about town have formed a society for the purpos \$100, which will be used in purchasing institution. We are glad to see the interest taken in the coming generation and hope that it will be duly appre

ciated .- Times. Dr. W. V. Coffin, late superintendent of the U. S. Indian school, was shown a very kind tribute in the shape of a farewell dinner, by R. W. Hill. utter confounding of the conspiracy. D. D., at his residence, on Court street between Capitol and 11th. But a few invited guests were present. The late employes of the school also showed the Dr. that they oppreciated his worth by making him the recipient of a fine gold-headed cane. Oregon and espea man as Dr. Coffin, and kind wishe

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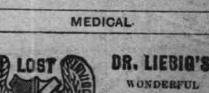
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