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He was six feet two inches tall and weighed 250 pounds. His face was purple with rage, and his breath came in short and quick gasps. He walked into the office of a quict little man on a certain street of this city, and, with a heavy cane uplifted, he commenced: "D-n you, I've got you now. My time has come, and I'm just going to wire up your floor with you. You are wipe up your floor with you. You are a a gentleman, sir!" he stuttered as his eyes fell upon the self-cocking requiet little man. "That's all I wanted to say, sir. Good morning, sir," and he rushed out of the door with the perspiration standing in beads upon his forehead. Turning to the Town Talker, the quiet little man said: "Don't say a word about this, but that man is going to meet with a sudden death some of these days," and he replaced the weapon in his pocket.—Louisville

Old Chairs.

Two chairs that have been handed down four generations go to help out on the furniture used in the late Abram Sampson's house in Coleman, Mich. The oldest one was bought in Boston, Mass., in 1749, and has now reached the ripe old age of 140 years. They also have a flour barrel in the house that was bought in New York in 1839, has been in twelve different states, and is good for twelve more. Houses Made of Iron

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EASTERN NEWS.

Hundreds of Discontented Mexicans Raiding New Mexico.

Strike - The South to Boycott

Large amounts in silver have been made ready in Mexico to be shipped to the United States in case the silver bill

Northern Manufacturers.

Senator Stewart, July 21st, introduced a bill granting public lands in Nevada, except mineral lands, to the State in aid

As a result of Admiral Lang's resigna tion the Chinese Government declares that never again will it entrust real authority in the navy to any foreigner.

Secretary Tracy has officially accepted the United States steamer Philadelphia. Mr. Cramp, the builder, receives \$13,500 as premium for extra speed.

An American girl, Josephine Neuendorf who has been studying music in Berlin, has committed suicide. Her mind is said to have been affected by overstudy.

In the House, July 15th, Genera! Van-dever of California introduced a bill granting a pension of \$5,000 a year to the widow of the late General Fremont.

Water has been let into the Central Park reservoir in New York for the first ime through the new Croton aqueduct, which has been six years in building. conference of Maryland sariff re-

form einba met in Saltimore in the inter-est of tariff reform, and insidentally to boone Cleveland for the Democratic nom-The Atlanta Constitution in a long editorial urges the organization of Home League clubs to boycott Northern goods, in the event of the passage of the Federal

Pre. John W. Heston, principal of the preparatory department of the Pennsyl-vania State College, has accepted the superintendency of the Seattle, Wash, public schools.

The London Standard says: The death of Gen. Fremont deprives America of a romantic personality which it can ill afford to lose in these prosaic times. His name will live in history.

Dr. W. Mitchel, pastor of the Broad-way Presbyterian Church at Fort Worth. Tex., has been arrested for forgeries amounting to \$3.500. He was placed in The cloakmakers' strike ended in New York July 15th, by the manufacturers agreeing to discharge all non union men, with the unidenstanding that they would

A special cable dispatch to the Toronto Globe says the Canadian Pacific Railway is about to issue fresh capital for purposes in connection with the Pacific Steamship service under the subsidies granted by All kinds of Harness & Saddlery Goods. the Dominion Government. Supervisor of the Census George L. Sopris announces the population of Denver and its suburbs at 126,186. This shows an increase over his former figures of 7,000, which has been added by a recanvas of the city by a citizen's committee.

Several hundred Mexicans, armed masked and mounted almost nightly pa-trol the vicinity of Las Vegas, N. M., and forty milesthereabouts, destroying fences. houses, bridges and crops. The n tive for their depredations is stated to the Mine Workers' Union of America, in session at Columbus, Ohio, has decided to bring suits in behalf of the families of the men who lost their lives in the mine

at Dunbar, Pa., against the company for At a meeting held at Middlesborough Ky., to organize permanently the Grant and Lee Monument Association, the sub-scription committee reported \$14,100. Felegrams of encouragement were read from Gov. Hill, Gov. Campbell, Gov. Faylor, Charles A. Dana and others. An English Syndicate is negotiating for the purchase of all the tobacco ware-houses in Louisville and Cincinnati With the Louisville and Cincinnati mar-

kets the syndicate could control the to-bacco market of the world, Louisville alone last year selling nearly 200,000 hogsheads. Gen. Casey, chief engineer in the Wa Department, in a report submitted to the Senate, states that it will cost \$640,000 to complete the Washington aqueduct. Over \$2,000,000 have so far been expended on the work. It was abandoned two years ago as defective, and has been going to ruin ever since.

Sneak thieves entered the Bliss cottage at Saratoga, N. Y., and got away with \$10,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry The cottage was occupied by Mr. Moston, the Vice-President of the United States,

It is quite true that many "Friends" live long, says the London Hospital. It is equally true that certain circumstances in their history militate against long life. Among these latter, intermarriage is perhaps the most important of all. The followers of George Fox have never been very numerous, but until late years they have been extremely exclusive. The inevitable result of that has been extensive intermarriage throughout the whole community. The consequences of the frequency of intermarriage have been, and are still, very evident. Quakers, as a class, are not muscularly robust; many of them are decidedly amenic, and not a few are mentally feeble.

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to certain methods of feeding, as vegetarianism, or meat-eating, or fruit-eating, or wins-drinking, or teetotalism, or amoking, and so on. But we submit that that shows a want of real mental capacity. For what, after all, is the true importance of the subject? Does it not consist in the undoubted character of the results? The results are really the things to be considered. As a matter of fact the Quakers are successful in life. As a matter of fact they do not live long. Then, surely, true science will not curl the lip of scorn because these results are obtained by what may be called "natural and simple" processes instead of by elaborate preparations or out-of-the-way methods.

Copper Brads in Shoes.

"Do you see these large copper brads in the sole of my shoer" asked a gentleman of the St. Louis Republic's Man About Town, as he held up to view the sole of one of his shoes. On being answered in the affirmative he said: "To these simple brads alone I attribute my present good health. For years I was an invalid, subject to dyspepsia, neuralgia, headache, and other innumerable pains, and traveled the country over in search of health. In traveling out west among the Indian purs of \$2500. Theodore Peterson, pressor I ranscript from Chicago that a short time purs of \$2500. Theodore Peterson, pressor I ranscript from Chicago that a short time. country over in search of health. In traveling out, west among the Indian tribes I was struck with their remarkable health, and expecially their expension from the maladies that afflicted me and also with the fact that the strongest and healthiest went bare footed altogether. I sought an explanation of the matter and by continued observation and study was finally led to the conclusion that the aches, and pains to which civilized man is helf are owing to the manner in which we in sulate our bodies from Mother Earth. Science is every day more clearly demonstrating that electricity is the vitalizing constituent of our bodies and that this globe of ours is a mighty battery, continually generating and discharding that this globe of ours is a mighty battery, continually generating and discharding the health was attributed as the supposed his whole body to the vitalizing influence of the electricity. Now, I reasoned if this was correct the secret of the India's health was in his bare feet, which exposed his whole body to the vitalizing influence of the electricity continually generating and discharding influence of the electricity continually generating that electrocity is the vitalizating that electricity is the vitalizating that electricity is the vitalizating that electricity and discharding influence of the electricity continually generating and discharding the electricity of the pole was in the supposed his whole body to the vitalizating influence of the electrical earth currents while my lil health was attributed as the supposed his whole body to the vitalization in the electricity of the pole was in the sit is ought to restore the broken connection by inserting these brads in the soles of my shoe, and the result, I must say, was astonishing. My feet, which for merity were nearly always cold, soon became warm and moist; my health commenced shortly to improve, and in the fact that the structure of the propose of physical development of the club, will be a vitalization the club of the club, will be conspicious by soles of my shoes and the result. I must say, was astonishing. My feet, which formerly were nearly always cold, soon became warm and moist; my health commenced shortly to improve, and in a few months I was entirely relieved of all my pains, and have ever since enjoyed good health. It is a very simple thing and easily tested, and I feel sure would benefit any one afflicted as I was.

The Author of M'Ginty.

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Says the Sutter City Enterprise: A well-grown tarantula was recently dicovered in the cellar at the residence of William Ellington in the Upperson Addition. The "critter" was promptly killed. One was also killed in the yard this week. It is reported that some time since a "bug" was found in possession of the cupretary is D. Eugene, general instructor.

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SPORTING NOTES.

A free all go-as-you-please race will take place at Madison Square Garden in New York next November. Littlewood and Albert will enter.

"Professor" Young Whistler says he would like a match with Professor Old-rieve of Boston at water-walking. He says any sum from \$10 to \$500 will be

from Tenny by a head. Mugan of San Diego has challenged Martinez Chick, the champion wing shot, to a centest for the Peters Medal. They will shoot 26 singles and tweive doubles. Chick has allowed a handicap of three yards. He has already won the medal four times and if successful in this match will retain it for good.

Says the Homer Index: There is nothing but snow in sight at the Gorilla mine smoth in ght at the Gorilla mine smoth as flat as pancakes. The tramway also is about done for. Some of that snow bank will remain when the youngstant will retain it for good.

COAST NEWS.

On Wednesday of last week Henry Hawley asked for a drink with a certain kind of flavoring, and when the barkeeper said he hadn't it Hawley expressed his disappointment by biting off his own

The Queen's Park Football Club of Glasgow, champions of Scotland, challenge America to play against a piked-up team in September for the world's championship.

Squatters have gone on the military reservation near Port Angeles, Wash, and the jumping fever extends even to Port Townsend. The squatters are regularly organized and propose to fight for their claims in court.

An old German, know at Las Vegas as "Dan the Tailor," was found dead near there Sunday morning. A knife had been run through his ankles and a rope run through in a way that a slaughtered ani-

hose at Portland. It took hold at once, and for some days nothing could dislodge its hold. An old army surgeon was consulted and he settled the case effectually. He put the patient to bed and kept him full of whiskey for three days, when the leech got soaked and let go its grasp.

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A pocket typewriter is shortly to be offered to the British public, says the Pacific Slope Patent Office Record. Typeare of considerable size and weight-at least a person could scarcely think o least a person could scarcely think of carrying one about with him regularly. The one under notice is not only inexpensive, but is so small that it may be carried in the waistcoat pocket. The retail price will be under 10 shillings; it measures 5 1-2 inches by 3 inches and weighs about four ounces. Though so small it is not a mere toy. The inventor claims for it that it will turn out better work and he found more useful better work and be found more useful than the larger and more expensive machines. With reference to its conmachines. With reference to its con-struction, all that can be seen when superficially examined is a disk about the size of the face of a gentleman's watch, in which the type is fixed, and one or two small rollers. It will print a line from an inch to a yard long and paper of any size or thickness can be

different languages. Patents have been obtained for most of the country in Europe as well as for America, Canada. The Other Fellow Got the Drop. He was six feet two inches tall and

iron house at the manufacturer's and have it sent anywhere in pieces. A targe number of iron villas have been sent from England to the Riviera and put up there upon plats of land purchased or leased, with the provision that when the lease expires the house can be taken away. A comfortable house can readily be built in a month. The price of a room measuring 20x13 feet is about \$250.

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class, do more than their proportion of the world's serous business, and they manage to attain a high average of longevity. Now, this is exactly the kind of fact that true medical science and learn from. What is the reason, asks the sensible man, why the Quakers, with so many undoubted disadvantages, attain such a high average of success in all that constitutes worthy life, and also succeed in enjoyworthy life, and also succeed in enjoying their success to an exceptionally old age? The reason, we are convinced, is to be found in their quiet habits and disciplined life. An ordinary doctor, or even layman, would probably have felt much more interest in the subject at this point if we had been able to affirm that the Quakers owed their success and long life to certain drugs, as for example, to arsenic, phosphorus, strychula, and the like, or to certain methods of feeding, as vegetarianism, or meat-eating, or fruit-

quire eight or ten days for the Indians to sign the agreement. The treaty opens 4,000,000 acres of land.

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although they cost a fortune, are failures.

Mike Coslin of Bennington, Vt., wants to wreatle any 115-pound man in America for \$500 a side.

Emmett Blakely was drowned in the Willamette River, near Springfield, July 18th, while running logs for the Springfield mills. Four watches agreed on Luther N. Carey's 11 1-5 seconds for 110 yards at the New York Athletic Club games.

Budd Doble says that Axtel will be ready to take Sunol's measure in a race by September. Marvin says that Sunol will not dodge the meeting.

Senator George Hearst's stable has been running in better form lately. It is no fault of the horses that the California millionaire does not win more races, but the trainer's "Professor" Young Whistler says he "Professor" Young Whistler says he would like a match with Professor Old-bullet in Utah.

In 1889 Salvator won the Realization Stakes from Tenny by 18 inches; the Surburban in 1890 from Cassius by half a head, and the match for \$15,000 in 1880

The man who envolved from his teeming brain the ballad which narrates the tumbles taken by Dan McGinty is probably at the present moment the most talked about of the minor poets of America, says the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle. "Down Went McGinty" has arrived at the dignity of being "the" gag of the day. So when the reporter was informed that Joe Flynn, the undoubted author of the most popular song of the season, was singing it daily and nightly at a local theater, down went the writer to

Advices from San Francisco state that both Charley Turner and Jack Davis have refused to fight Fitzsimmons, the New Zealand middle-weight champion. Joe Ellingsworth, when he signed to fight Denny Kelleher, agreed, in the event of his winning to fight Turner. But now he has backed out on the ground that it it would add nothing to his record to whip a man whom Kelleher had disposed of. He has been signed to fight Fitz simmons in August before the California Club. Joe is a very clever and levelheaded fighter. Joe made a mistake in not fighting Turner instead of Fitz, because he can whip the Stockton colored champion, while Fitz will polish him of in good style.