

A Philanthropist. "Mr. Biggleson is quite a philanthropist, isn't he?"

Demands for More Battleships. When the Secretary of the Navy recently demanded more battleships, Congress considered his recommendations favorably.

With Most People. A Kansas City man has issued a pamphlet on the "Mission of Wealth."

Your guide and guard is the famous Oregon Hood Purifier, tested and true. Use it now.

Wasted There. He—They say the temperature in Florida has been about 75 all this month.

She—Isn't that aggravating? To think that they should have temperature like that there where it's so warm anyway that they really don't need it.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'Hara, 322 Third Ave., N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1905.

Has an Envious Record. Charles Bellamy has been a fireman for 16 years on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, and has never missed a trip.

The Best Prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Cathartic Pills.

River of Ink. In Algeria a river of ink is formed by the conjunction of two streams, one of which is impregnated with iron, and the other, which drains a peat bog, with gallic acid.

GARFIELD TEA, the medicine that purifies the blood and cleanses the system, brings good health to all who use it.

Where They Went. Of 700 ten dollar marked bills paid on a Saturday night by a Massachusetts man to his bank.

### CONSTIPATION

"I have gone 34 days at a time without a movement of the bowels, not being able to move them except by using hot water injections."

CANDY CATHARTIC. Cascarets. TRADE MARK REGISTERED. PREPARED BY THE DRUG STORES.

REVENUES OF THE RIVIERA. A writer in a French paper says that every year there are 270,000 foreigners who pass from a fortnight to a whole winter on the Riviera.

DON'T GET WET! THE ORIGINAL TOWER'S FISH BRAND OILED CLOTHING.

PORTLAND'S FUTURE. R. L. Cate Predicts 150,000 Population and Says All Eyes Are Pointed This Way.

Springtime Resolutions. TAKE THE Keesley Cure. Sure relief from liquor, opium and tobacco habits.

W. H. SMITH & CO., Buffalo, N. Y.

### GOT THE WORK HE WANTED.

Secretary of the Applicant Sailed the Railroad Manager.

United States Revenue Inspector William A. Garrett vouches for the following story of a well-known Southern railroad man:

H. M. Hoxie, general manager of the L. & G. N., was universally considered a good fellow by his friends in Texas and elsewhere.

"You take my seat," he said, "and I'll show you how you ought to act."

The brakeman took the general manager's chair and Mr. Hoxie stepped out into the hall. After giving a respectful knock he came in and stood uncovered before his temporary superior.

"Well?" said that worthy. "I am looking for a position, sir."

The tough brakeman leaned back in his chair and stuck his thumbs in the armpoles of his vest.

"It took me off my feet," said Mr. Hoxie in telling the story at a Galveston banquet.

MINGLING OF THE RACES. Alliances Between Different Peoples Are Helpful to the Whole.

Man is an animal and Darwin has shown that not only is he closely akin to other animals, but that the laws which control the development of the lower animals also control the development of man.

Turning to the United States, we find the foundations of a new nation laid by the sturdy and most enterprising of these same Englishmen.

It Clouded Her Serenity. "Yes, sir, my wife is a truly good woman. I know of but one thing that has disturbed her mind since she joined the church, last month."

The First Rule. New Boarder—Can I get my meals on time?

Unusually Lucky. Wigg—Is he lucky? Wags—Lucky! I should say so. He says he can always light his pipe with his last match.

Out of Order. "Why didn't they permit Grump to speak at the citizens' franchise meeting?"

Pitting Them. Caller—Where is your mamma, Ethel? Ethel (who has been watching the preparation of cherry pie)—Why, she's out in the kitchen unbuttoning a lot of cherries.

Standing in His Own Light. "I'll never give you up, Miss Perkins—never!"

On the Train. When a traveler in the Grand Duchy of Baden, Germany, wants to send a telegram while he is in the train, he writes the message on a postcard with the request that it be wired, puts on a stamp and drops it into the train letter box.

The Man and the Microbe. At this point in the fable the Man marveled greatly in that he had not met the Microbe long since.

His Name. The teacher of the Sabbath school class approached one little fellow who was present for the first time.

Hot and Tota. The Dutch settlers at the Cape of Good Hope called the native Hottentots because the Caffre language seemed to be a perpetual repetition of the syllables hot and tota.

A deadbeat can never understand why his credit isn't good; he thinks he intends to pay.

Every misery a man misses is a blessing.

### RHEUMATISM

Caused by an Impure Condition of the Blood—How It May Be Permanently Cured.

From the Mirror, Manchester, N. H.

Although rheumatism is one of the most painful and dangerous of the many troubles which afflict mankind, it can be permanently cured if a proper course of treatment is taken.

"Several years ago one of my knees was injured by a fall. About the first of June, 1897, rheumatism set in and at last got so bad that I could not bend my knee.

"In the latter part of August, nearly three months after the pain and stiffness began, a friend, Mrs. Rothwell, of Everett, Mass., told me of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I willingly gave them a trial and experienced relief in a few days.

At all druggists or direct from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Price, 50 cents per box; six boxes, \$2.50.

Offered a Small Figure. A few days since a popular attorney called upon another member of the profession and asked his opinion upon a certain point of law.

Some Signs of a Good Teacher. She will read professional and other books, educational and other papers, and magazines.

Occasionally she will be found taking the children on a little trip to the park or some of the younger ones to a museum, and older pupils to certain factories which afford entertainment and instruction.

"Getting It Down Pat." Stephen M. Van Allen, of Jamaica, Me., an expert shot with a rifle or revolver, has received as a gift the smallest revolver ever made.

Vandal Depredations in Florida. Because of the depredations of winter tourists, one of the most beautiful private places in Florida has just been closed to the public.

Cotton Spinning in Italy. There are now in operation in Italy in the cotton industry over 20,000 looms and more than 3,000,000 spindles.

Adam had his trials but he never had to face a fool jury.

### FORTUNE SMILED ON THIS MONTANA GIRL.



William Andrews Clark, Jr., the favorite son and namesake of the Senator from Montana, is wed Miss Foster.

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School Pupils' Dissipations. Teachers generally agree on one thing—they say let night entertainments, if they have to occur in the school child's life, come on Friday or Saturday night, but do not let them break in on study days.

She will do a certain amount of calling on her children.

Income Tax in Persia. In Prussia an income tax is levied on all whose income exceeds \$225 a year.

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Bringing It Back. Clubberly—Old man, do you ever have any doubts about your love for her?

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Sudden and Severe attacks of Neuralgia.

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Can't Always Tell. "Do you serve lobsters here?" asked the new arrival.

Mexico Buying Horses. Mexico is now purchasing cavalry horses by the car load in this country.

### The Duty of Mothers.

What suffering frequently results from a mother's ignorance; or more frequently from a mother's neglect to properly instruct her daughter!

Tradition says "woman must suffer," and young women are so taught. There is a little truth and a great deal of exaggeration in this.

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### Left handedness is said to be very common in birds and animals.

Parrots seize objects with their left claw by preference or exclusively.

Successful Scientific Egg Sellers. Danish eggs are taking the lead for their good qualities.

Artificial Loim Chops. That our food will some day be built up chemically from nitrogen, carbon and other necessary elements is a fascinating theory.

Ants' Bites for Lazy Children. In Guiana a child is slow in its movements the parents apply an ant to the child instead of a whip.

Garfield Tea has long been recognized as the greatest remedy for bowel and liver troubles.

Vaudeville. "That girl has sure enough goo-goo eyes."

Taken at His Word. A.—You cannot offend me. I completely ignore you.

The Proper Thing. Mistress—I hope I didn't disturb you and your lover when I went into the kitchen last night?

Limitations. First Cavalier—The king can do no wrong!

HOW'S THIS? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

E. W. Grover. His signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets.

As to Some Handwriting. Fred—Do you think a man's character is shown in his handwriting?

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