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WASHINGTON, March 12th, 1886. The Senate galleries are crowded this week, and great interest is felt in the discussion of the Presidential prerogative.

CURIOUS FACTS.

Shears with two blades and a spring back were used in old Rome for clipping sheep, hair and hedges. A Belgian treats textile fabrics with an alcoholic solution of the green of the birc, with which he expects to render them almost indestructible.

The petrified skeleton of a whale over thirty feet long has been discovered by an officer of the Coast Survey, Cal., over 3300 feet above the sea level.

The London Times says that on a recent test of several thousand bayonets now in use in the British army, being a fair representation of the quality of all, thirty-three per cent were found to be useless for lack of stiffness and temper.

Cases of severe colic from lead poisoning have been reported among tailors and sewing women. This is probably due to their habit of biting off and sometimes chewing threads of sewing silk which has been weighted with acetate of lead.

Dr. Hartwell, of John Hopkins University, says that a German soldier can scale a twenty-foot wall with his arms and accoutrements, or jump an iron spiked fence without getting caught. Gymnastics are compulsory in the German schools.

Cures of sciatica are reported as having taken place in Paris after a single application of Dr. Debove's method of freezing the skin above the painful part with a spray of chloride of methyl.

From studies in Sicily, Drs. Buchner and Emmerich find evidence that the occurrence of cholera has some connection with the character of the soil, and that it makes its way into the system through the lungs rather than through the alimentary canal.

It is suggested that the Patagonians may have lost as much as two inches in stature since the adoption of constant horseback riding, a little over two centuries ago.

Evidence of the decay of forests in Australia is found in the present existence of a few trees far exceeding in size any of those about them, and supposed to be survivors of a departed race of giants.

The popular notion that the inhabitants of Chinese cities are given to unwholesome habits does not seem to be well founded. Dr. Dudgeon, in a recent work on the diet, dress and dwellings of the Chinese, says that the people have admirably adapted themselves to their surroundings, and enjoy a maximum of comfort.

Senator Miller's death lessens the Republican majority in the Senate temporarily. The legislature of California does not meet until December, and the Governor of the State, General Stoneman, being a Democrat, will doubtless appoint one of his own party to fill the vacancy.

It was the regular assiduous etiquette of the reign of Queen Elizabeth of England for a man professing himself deeply in love to assume certain outward marks of negligence in his dress, as if too much occupied with his passion to attend to such trifles.

The social season closed brilliantly at the White House. The third of the series of Diplomatic, Military and Congressional receptions eclipsed those preceding it in several respects.

Flow deep while airgards sleep.

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THE PETITION GRANTED.

The action of the Common Council of this city last week in granting the petition of the citizens of Albany asking for an ordinance in the spirit of the Keedy liquor law, was one entitling that body to much praise, and shows how well it appreciates the wishes of the people of this city.

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TO THE WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

BELOVED SISTERS:—In the twelve years of our pilgrimage we have not before lost a friend so loyal and so earnest as John B. Gough. In fact, humanity has very few such friends as he, to lose.

The personal kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Gough to your National President was notable. Years ago they counseled her to make a temperance trip through-out Great Britain, as a stepping stone to wider usefulness here, and placed their unequalled influence at her disposal, proposing that she should undergo the same auspicious that they had done.

Mr. Gough set his seal to each new department of the W. C. T. U. by his own silent, divine acting, which was more eloquent than even his matchless eloquence of speech. He stood up to be counted with the minority in the recent presidential campaign, and only last autumn in that of Massachusetts he did not hesitate to ally himself openly by voice and vote with those who bore reproach without the camp.

It is fitting then, that we unite with our cordial allies, the Good Templars, in holding memorial services in love and honor of John B. Gough, on the 11th of April, 1886. Our "Responsive Reading" for April, (in the series now being issued,) will have for its subject, Mr. Gough's Life and Services, and can be appropriately used in this connection.

For the noble wife who cherished him and the gentle niece who were like daughters in his household, we will offer earnest prayer now that they mourn "their strong staff broken and their beautiful rod."

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