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A WONDERFUL BRIDGE. east by express with \$69 charges on it, and before half the three minutes A remarkable bridge is now in was up he was ready to acknowlcourte of construction over Kinzina Creek, near Bradford, Pa., on the edge his error, "Since he had thougt line of the New York. Lake Erie & it over calmly," he said, "he believed 'them hills is,' right. He had spoken Western Railway. The structure has a total length of 2,051 from abut on the spur of the moment," he add-& IMPROVEMENT CO. ment to abutment, and the height of ed "and begged a thousand pardons the rail above the bed of the creek is for his presumptuous effort to substi-

third of the height, which gives base

and stability to the structure, and

motion. The bridge will be, it is

Niagara suspension bridge, 170 feet

above High bridge, and 45 feet high-

er than Portage railroad bridge over

the Genesee River. The bridge will

consume 40,000,000 pounds of iron,

and will require 30,000 yards of ma-

sonary. The cost will be over \$500,

POTATOES UNDER STRAW.

than those treated in the usual man-

tute bad grammar for good." 201 feet. It consists of one span 62 The Tombstoner forgave him freefeet long, twenty spans 61 feet each, ly, and, grasping his hand firmly, and twenty spans 38 feet 6 inches each. The trusses which extend

said: "I know'd you'd say you was wrong the whole length, are 6 feet high and ten feet apart, made similar to those after you thought a moment. I adof the elevated railroads, and are mire's man who gives right in without arguing when he knows he's known as the lattice girder. The wrong. Come along and irrigate." spread of the posts at the highest point is 1043 feet being about one-And they irrigated.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFGANIZATION

er," and of the long pine box going

Free Press. Blodgetts Valley, April 30, 1883 prevents any vibration or laterial EDITOR GAZETTE:-The United Brethren Sunday School was organsaid, the highest bridge in the ized Sunday, April 29th with the world. It is 60 feet higher than tollowing results; Superintendent, Hiram Wood; Assistant Superintenhigher than the great bridge across dent, Mr. Alpress; Secretary, Miss the Ohio at Cincinnati, 189 feet Willes Alpress; Treasurer, Mr. Willey Norton; Chorister, Sarah Wood. Yours Truly,

L.E. W. A country Justice, who seems to

understand the marriage and divorce question in these days of civil ser-

vice reform, has adopted the following ceremony: The affianced taking Several years ago there was much each other by the hand, the justice said about growing potatoes under says, "You do solemnly promise in straw. Interest in the subject apthe presence of these witnesses and pears to be renewed, to judge from this high court, to love and obey inquiries. The method is very simple. each other until death, or the court, The land is prepared in the usual do you part. The parties vowing manner and the rows marked off; the their assent, the Justice concludes, sets are dropped along the rows and "I pronounce you man and wife, and very slightly or not at all covered may God have mercy on your souls." with soil. The whole field, or bed,

is then covered with eight or ten Women once had all their rights, inches thickness of old straw. Noth-The ancient Egyptian bridegroom ing more is required until digging took the name of his wife, instead of time, unless some strong weeds should giving his name to her; and Egypmake their way through the straw, tian sons, instead of being called and these may be pulled. It is claimed that the yield is larger and by the name of their mothers. the potatoes are much handsomer

> Out of a population of 25,000,000 England sends only 5.000 students

Rev. H. M. Hudson, in the Journal to her two great Universities. Scotof Education, says that the schools land, with a population of 4,000,000 of sixty years ago were better than has 6,500 university students, and those of to-day, because the educa- Germany with a population of 43,tion of the hand and heart was then 000,000 has 22,500 students in her simultaneous with that of the mind. various universities.

logether, and how many weeks did pion dull young man of Austin. He it take him to understand that he can not be induced to take a hint. wasn't wanted ?

Two men agreed to build a wall he fails to perceive it. ogether. One does four-fifths of the A few days ago he said he was bossing and the other three-tenths of going to call at the Wilcott mansion, the work, and they finally conclude that he owed the ladies there an to pay a man \$18 to finish the job. apology. Find the length and height of the

"What for ?" asked a friend who happened to be present.

A woman arrives at the depot "It did not occur to me until just three minutes ahead of train time. now, but I disturbed them a few She has to kiss seven persons, say days ago, and I ought to apologize." "good-bye" to thirteen others, send "How did it happen ?"

her love to twenty-two relatives and "Well, you see I went there and see to four parcels. She accomplishes ang the bell for fifteen minutes, but it all and has forty-one seconds to no one came to the door. At last spare to tell a dear friend how to one of the young ladies came and mix seven different ingredients into said: a mince pie. How long did it take

"So it is only you, is it? We the train to reach Chicago ?- Detroit thought is was a tramp," and then she shut the door in my face. I feel

sorry that I disappointed them and At the recent Educational Con-I would like to tell them so." vention which was held at Frankfort, And he said this without the slight Ky., an address to the people of that est intention of being sarcastic .--State was prepared, which is a ring-Texae Siftings. ing demand for a reform in the meth-

ods of education now in vogue. It Cooking forms part of the regular concludes as follows: The sluggish education of young ladies in Vienna. stream of public sentiment must be but they do not learn the art at agitated by the pulpit, by the press, cooking clubs, or at public lectures, by the school commissioner, by the as in England and this country, and lecturer and by the politician. All they are rarely taught in their own candidates for the Legislature and kitchens. It is the custom to go to for the State offices should be resome great house--that of a princess quired to announce their views on or some very rich banker, where this vital subject in unmistakable there are famous chefs, who give terms, and no enemy of the schools lessons in cookery. When a chef should be honored by the suffrages engages to cook for a nobleman he

of the people. We are aiming for usually stipulates that he is to have progressive legislation, backed by an the privilege of teaching a certain educational ballot. With a view. number of young ladies, These young therefore, to systematic organization ladies need not even know the misand continuous agitation, the Franktress of the house, and they make fort Convention adjourned to meet in Louisville at a date to be fixed in only. September, when the work now in-

augurated will be enlarged under The Carriage Builders' National the auspices of the forthcoming Association has recently issued a cir-Southern Exposition, and we respectcular letter to officials and official fully insist that proper steps be taken bodies in the United States having in every county of the State to secure the supervision of public education, representation in the Louisville Con- calling attention to the great adafter their fathers, were designated vention, irrespective of race, of party vantages which would follow the inand of vocation. The movement has troduction of a rudimentary manual been auspiciously begun, and now training in the public schools.

> There was preaching at New York on a recent Sunday in the English Spanish, Russian, Polish, Bohemian,

The Boston Herald says that the Italian, Hebrew, Welsh, Scandiordinary school studies are of no navian, French, German, Dutch and practical use to great numbers of Hungurian languages, and possibly, her to the hearts of every Christain also, in unknown tongues. the children who go to school.

the cause. She is also a very interesting speaker, and recently address-No matter how rudely he is treated, ed the young ladies of Cleveland, Ohio, by invitations, from one of the pulpits of that city with great effect. She is enthusiastic in her devotions to Miss Willard and the great work she is accomp ishing.

> After finishing her labors with Mr. Moody, Miss Willard returned to her work in the W. C. T. U., and in the fall of 1880 was elected to the position of President of that organization, which office she now holds, In this position she has shown remarkable statesmanship and unequaled executive ability. To her energy is due to the prosperous condition of the organization which she represents and which has now attained to a position to accomplish the greatest possible amount of good, and is the largest society ever organized and controlled exclusively by women, numbering 50,000 members in the United States. She has organized for temperance work thirty-two committees which are planned to represent and care for every possible phase of temperance work and under her management there are now state auxiliary societies in thirty-five states and several territories, all of which are fully equipped for labor, and each state has its own sub-committees which report to the national society. that it is "doing more for the temperance cause to-day than all others combined."

Miss Willard's object in coming to Oregon is to strengthen the work already done and assist in every way in advancing Christain temperance work. As a leader and organizer their arrangements with the cook she has displayed an ability not equaled by any other leader who has ever been engaged in temperance work, and her generalship has not been excelled by any teacher on any moral question. She has conceived the necessity of employing adequate means for overthrowing the traffic, and of establishing national sobriety; of eradicating the fountains of evil which are sapping the life of the nation. She advocates total abstinance for the individual and prohibition for the state.

Miss Willard is the lady who carried into execution the idea of perpetuating the memory of Mrs. Pres-ident Hays for the noble stand she took in banishing wine from the White House, which has endeared in the land.

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let every friend of the cause push onward without fear, doubt or hesi-