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Repairing done in the neatest style and Guns Loaned and Ammunition Furnished

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Will keep constantly on hand a full supply of

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MUTTON, PORK AND VEAL

Which they will sell at the lowest market prices

A fair share of the public patronage solicited

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EUCENE CITY, ORECON. Meats delivered to any part of the city free of charge. juni4

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DRUGS, MEDICINES,

Brushes, Paints, Glass, Olls, Leads,

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Physicians' Prescriptions Compounded.

-M. Lauth, of Sovres, has, after ten years experimentation, produced a porcela'n far superior to the famous old Sevres. It will take all kinds of lives, and is suscept ble of the h ghest

kind- of decoration. -In Prussia all express trun- are to be provided with means of communicat on before the close of the present year, and all other passenger trains sidered a social event of some importance, not only because this was the chief mode of travel where navigation side and just above the level of the window. This cord is to be connected boats that then plied up and down the with the locomotive whistle giving the Mississippi were floating palaces and signal.

-Every army has its part cular mode | brilliant crowds of society people. of payment. In France, Italy, etc., the men are pa'd every five days; in ly pay of 3 1-2 tails, about 30 francs, he sets aside one-third for his keep; the rest goes for cloth ng. e juipment, and pocket money should anything be

-The last census report in Ch h presents an anomaly that is puzzling the people very much. The marr ed copulation of the country, distinct from widowers and widows, is stated to be 598,312. Of course, half of this number, or 209,156, ought to be males, and

### Eugene City Business Directory.

BETTMAN, G.—Dry goods, clothing, groceries and general merchandise, southwest corner Willamette and Eighth streets.

BOOK STORE-One door south of the Astor House. A full stock of assorted box papers, plain and fancy.

CRAIN BROS.—Dealers in jewelry, watches, clocks and musical instruments, Willamette steamer. clocks and musical instruments, Wi street, between Seventh and Eighth.

DORRIS, B. F.-Dealer in stoves and tinware, Willamette street, between Seventh and Eightb. FRIENDLY, S. H.—Dealer in dry goods, cloth-ing and general merchandise, Willamette

ing and general merchandise, street, between Eighth and Ninth.

GILL, J. P.—Physician, surgeon and druggist, postorlice, Williamete street, between Seventh and Eighth.

HENDRICKS, T. G.-Dealer in general mer-chandise, northwest corner Willamette and Ninth streets.

HODES, C.—Keeps on hand fine wines, liquors, cigars and a pool and billuard table, Willam-ette street, between Eighth and Ninth. HORN, CHAS. M.-Gunsmith, rifles and shot

guns, breech and muzzie loaders, for sale, Repairing done in the neatest style and war-ranted. Shop on Ninth street.

LUCKEY, J. S.-Watchmaker and jeweler, keeps a fine stock of goods in his line, Willam-ette street, in Ellsworth's drug store. McCLAREN, JAMES-Choice wines, liquor and cigars, Willamette street, between Eighth and Ninth.

PATTERSON, A. S.-A fine stock of plain and

PRESTON, WM.-Dealery in saddlery, har ness, carriage trimmings, etc., Wi street, between Seventh and Eighth,

POST OFFICE-A new stock of standard school books just received at the post office. RENSHAW, WM.-Wines, liquors and cigars of the best quality kept constantly on hand. The best billiard table in town.

## MATLOCK BROS.

SUCCESSORS TO

T. G. Hendricks.

Having purchased the store formerly owned by T. 6. Hendricks, we take pleasure in in-forming the public that we will keep a well selected stock of

## GENERAL MERCHANDISE,

CONSISTING OF Dry Coods, Boots, Shoes,

HATS, GROCERIES, NAILS,

Crockery and Tobaccos

In fact our stock will be found to be complete.

and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

We can always be found at the

OLD HENDRICKS CORNER

Where we will take all kinds of Produce in exchange for goods.

MATLOCK BROS.

Feb. 29, 1884.

## McClung & Johnson,

SUCCESSORS TO THE

LANE COUNTY MERCANTILE ASSOCIATION.

We would announce to the citizens of this county that having purchased the entire stock of merchandise of the Lane County Mercantile Association considerably below the original cost, and having added largely thereto by re-cent purchases for cash,

Our Stock is now Complete!

And second to none in this county. We cor-dially invite a careful examination of our stock, as we know we can give you satisfaction both in goods and prices.

Our Aim is to Sell the Best Goods for the Least Money.

Call and examine our goods and be con-vinced, even if you do not wish to purchase. We always take pleasure in showing goods and

All kinds of Produce taken at Highest Market Rates

Liberal Discounts for Cash.

Love at First Night.

[Cor. New Orleans Times-Democrat.] "While speaking of romance and beauty, I have an authentic account of how a noted Louisville belle first met her husband, which sounds more like fiction than matter of fact. About thirty-five years ago the landing of a steamboat carrying passengers was conmade it possible, out because the superb carried on board constantly the most

The time spent on the water was passed in dancing, feasting and flirting, Spain—seldom, and in Turkey on still and on the occasion of which I am rarer occasions. In China solders speaking an unusually gay and distrept dispersion of their way. to St. Louis. The party included some of the most famous beaux of the day, and the belle of the trip was a well-known Louisville beauty It seems that the Louisville girl reached her destination fancy free. For, as the boat drew up to the landing and the crowd on shore surged down to the water's edge to secure a glimpse of the new-comers, Miss ---, who was leaning over the guards, became absorbed in watching the movements of a gentlehalf females. But such is not the case man by the gangway. He was tall according to the census report, which and elegantly looking and striksays the married persons consist of ingly handsome. Miss — did not 300,577 males and 297,735 females, know his name, nor if he were 300,577 males and 297,735 females. know his name, nor if he were This leaves 2,842 married men without benedict or bachelor, but conviction suddenly seized her, and, turning to a companion, she said impressively: There (pointing out the gentleman in question) stands the man whom I will marry." In an incredibly short period of time she did marry him; but the cream of the story lies in the fact that he had made a precisely similar remark in regard to her on first beholding the fair Louisvillian as she stood, surrounded by her admirers, on the

### Military Dueling in Austria,

[London Times.] A warm discussion is going on in Vienna newspapers in connection with the case of an officer recently dismissed from the army for refusing to fight a duel. Two young men named Hintner and Morl, both lieutenants in the reserves, and both attending lecture in the University of Grats, met last October at a railway station. Morl made use of some offensive expression, which Hintner thought was intended for himself. He asked Morl if it was so, addthat if it wa, or if the expression was repeated, he would box his ears. Morl said it was intended for another person, and the incident ended. Four weeks later Morl sent his seconds to Hintner, calling on him for a written apology and withdrawal of the words, otherwise challenging him to fight a duel. Hintner refused to withdraw his words; he also "refused absolutely to fight a duel, because it was against his religion, against reason and conscience, and also dueling was forbidden both by the civil and the military law." Hereupon the matter was brought before a court of honor, consisting of superior officers of the Fourteenth Army corps. The decision of this court was "approved" and published on the Jan. 12, and simply recites that "Josef Hintner, Lieutenant in the Reserve of the Tyrolese Jager regiment of the Emperor Franz-Josef" is charged with "absolute refusal of a duel, and the sentence is that the accused be deprived of his commission and rank." This sentence, it appears,

#### becomes forthwith operative. O du't Want Any.

|Detroit Free Press.| A colored man who had a slight acquaintance with one of the stall-keepers at the Central market hung around for half an hour the other day before say-

"See yere, boss, I wants to ax yes queshun or two.

"All right." "I kin git my household furnicher in-

sured for \$400.

"Yes." "An' it won't cost but \$3."

"Well." "Wall, 'spose I had dat furnicher in-sured an' de house should catch fiah an'

eberyting barn up?" "In that case, my colored brother, you'd be jerked into jail so quick that your head wouldn't have time to swim, and from the jail you'd go to state prison for at least ten years."

What for?" "Why, for setting the fire."

"Am dat possible? Wall, Ize werry much obleeged to yer, an' 1ze made up my mind to save de \$3 an' let de \$400 go."

#### The Mystery Cleared Up. [Chicago Herald.]

Many visitors to Statuary hall, in the cap tol, at Washington, have noticed that in the statue of Washington, contributed by Virgin a, both the upper and the lower lips bulge out into undue prominence and give the expression a rather curious cast. A native Virginian, while in Washington the tive Virginian, while in Washington the other day, cleared up the mystery as follows: "I don't believe that it has ever been in print before, but the real reason why these features are distorted to the day, cleared up the mystery as follows: "I don't believe that it has ever been in print before, but the real reason why these features are distorted to the day, cleared up the mystery as ducks, \$3,90\mathbb{G}5.50 \mathbb{F} dozen; hens, \$4.50\mathbb{G}6.00; broilers, \$2.50\mathbb{G}4.00; turkeys, live, 16 \tag{G}75.50 \mathbb{F} to the sand 18\mathbb{G}20c for gobblers. is that a short time before his death Washington used a double set of false testh. They were made in Paris on gold plates, but they did not fit him. As a consequence, when he died they were in his mouth, and as I said, they bulged the lips out. The plaster cast faithfully reproduced this distortion."

### Ole Bull's Daughter.

St. Paul Pioneer Press. Ole Bull's only offspring likely to perpetuate his talent is his little daughter Olea, by his second wife, who was Miss Thorpe, a belle of Madison, Wis. A son of the same union died in infancy. The little flaxen-haired girl is now 8 years old, and beginning to show some of her father's talent in the use of the violin. Her father's instrument is kept sacredly awaiting the years when she may be worthy of it.

### English as She Is Spoke.

"Don't give it away, please, Mildred," said Amy to the high-school girl, after reciting an escapade in which she had been engaged.

"No," replied Mildred, "I'll make no gratuitous presentation of it."

### MARKET REPORTS.

Portland. FLOUR-Per bbl, standard brands. .25: others, \$3 a.3.75. WHEAT-Fer ctl. valley, \$1.15 \$1.174: Waila Walla, \$1.10 ±1.124. BARLEY - Whole, ♥ ctl, 90c@\$1.00;

ground, # ton, \$24@rb. OATS—Choice milling, 35@38c; choice

RYE-Per ct', \$1.50@2. CORN MEAL-Per ctl, \$2.50@3. HOMINY-Per cu. \$4 50. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR-Per ctl, \$2.50

PEARL BARLEY-Per 15, 44 85c. OATMEAL -Per fb, sag Sic. MIDDLINGS -Per ton, \$18@20. BRAN-Per ton, \$11@12, CHOP-Per ton, 16@20.

HAY—Per ton, 10,220.

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HOPS—Per B, 7@84c.

HEANS—Per ctl, pea, \$2.59@\$2.75; small whites, \$2.50w 2.75; bayos, \$3.50@3.75; lima, \$3.25; pink, \$3.

BUTTER—Per B, fancy roll, 20c; interior

grade, 12; pickled, 15@20c, CHEESE-Per B, Oregon, 12@13c; California, 12@13c. EGGS-Per doz, 15c.

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DRIED FRUITS—Per B, apples, 4@54c;
pitted plums, California, 11c; do Oregon,
10c; peaches, halves unpeeled, 114c blackberries, 14±15c; prunes, California, 74@8a;
raisins, \$2.25ca.50 \$\psi\$ bx.

RICE—Chiaa, No. 1, \$5\psi\$; do No. 2, \$5\psi\$;
Sandwich Islands, No. 1, \$\psi\$ B, 7c. VEGETABLES—Beets, \$1; cabbage, \$2 @2.25; cauliflower, \$\varphi\$ doz, \$1.25\(\varphi\$1.50; celery, # doz, 90c(#\$1; cucumbers, # box, \$1.50; green corn, # doz, 10c; green peas,

y lb, 4@5c; onions, new, 2c; rhubarb, 3c; tomatoes, \$\psi\$ box, \$1@1.50.

POTATOES—New, \$\psi\$ lb, lc.

POULTRY—Chickens, \$\psi\$ doz, spring, \$2.50@3; old \$3\psi 3.50; ducks, \$5\psi 6; geese, \$2.50\psi 5.50; unkeys, \$5\psi 10\psi 13\psi 6.50;

Bago, old cagadol, ddca, cogo; geese, 86a,7.50; turkeys, F ib, 10@124c.

HAMS—Per lb, 11@134.

BACON—Per lb, 64@10.

LARD—Oregon, 11@114; Eastern, 11@

PICKLES—Per 5-gal keg, \$1.50. SUGARS—Quote bbls: Cube, 72; dry granulated, 72c; fine crushed, 8c; golden

HONEY-Extracted, 74c; comb, 14c. COFFEE-Per lb, Guatemala, 131; Costa Rica, 124c; Old Government Java, 18c. TEAS—Young Myson, 25@65c; Japan, 12@55c; Ocolong, 15@55c.

CANNED GOODS-Tomatoes, # doz, \$1 vegetables, ♥ doz, \$1@1.50; salmon, 1 lb tins, ♥ doz, \$1.25; jams and jellies, ♥ doz, \$1.90

\$1.90.

TROPICAL FRUIT—Oranges, \$2.50@

2.50 # box; Limes, \$1.25; Lemons, \$3.50@

\$12.50 # box; Bananas, \$3.24; Cocoanuts, \$6@6; apples, # box, \$1.00.

SEEDS—Per B, timothy, 5@6c; red clover, 14@15c; orchard grass, 14c; rye grass, 14@10c.

WOOL—Valley, 10@15c; Eastern Oregon, 10@15c.

SALT-Liverpool, \$16@20 # ton. HIDES-Dry, 14@15c; salted, 6@7. TALLOW-Clear color and hard, 4@4\c

# lb; prime, 44c.

### Nan Francisco.

BAGS-Calcutta wheat bacs, 44@44c. FLOUR-Extra, \$1.00@5.00 # bol; super fine, \$2.50@3.50. WHEAT-No. 1 shipping, \$1.374@1.40 # ctl; No. 2, \$1.321@1.35; Milling, \$1.421@

BARLEY - No. 1 feed, \$1.271; brewing, \$1.25@1.374. OATS—Feed, \$1.05@1.121 #ctl; Surprise and choice milling, \$1.35@1.40; Black. CORN—Large yellow, \$1.15@1.20 \$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$ctl}}}; small yellow, \$1.20@1224.; white, \$1.15@

RYE-\$1.274@1.30 # ctl.
GROUND BARLEY-\$26@28 # ton.
MIDDLINGS-\$19.50@21.50 # ton.
CRACKED CORN-\$28@30 # ton. BRAN-Si4@15 # ton BUCK WHEAT FLOUR-Per lb, 3c. CORNMEAL-Per lb, 21831c.

HOPS-4@8c # lb. HAY-Bariey, \$7@10 # ton; alfalfa, \$10 @12; wheat, \$10@14. STRA W-55c@65c # bale,

ONIONS—New, 7-c@1.25 # ctl.
POTATOES—Early rose, new, 40@75c;
Peerless, 65@75c; Garnet Chile, 60@65c,
BEANS—Small white, \$1.25@1.75 # ctl; pea. \$1.50@1.75; pink. \$1.35@1.45; red. \$1.60; bayos, \$2.00@2.50; butter, \$1@1.25; ilmas, \$1.50@1.65. SEEDS-Yellow mustard, 21@21c # fb;

brown mustard, 23@3c; alfalfa, \$174@10c; canary, 34@4c; hemp, 34@3c; flax, 24@24c; rspe, 24@24c; timothy, 64@6c. DRIED PEAS—Green, \$3@3.50 \$\ cti; farrowfat, 3c. VEGETABLES—Cabbage, 50@60c ♥ ctl;

bananas, \$1.50@3# bunch; Mexican limes, bananas, \$1.30g.3 # bunch; Mexican Ames, \$12@14.00 # box; Los Angeles oranges, \$1@1.50; strawberries, \$2.63 # chest; plums, # bskt, 10@30c; watermelons, \$10@15 # 100; currants, \$2.50@3 # chest; raspberries, \$5.96.00 # chest; peaches, 25g.50c # box; blackberries, \$2.00@3.00 # chest; grapes, 25c@75 c# box.

damages.

Three ladies, a servant and two children, while crossing the railroad in a carriage at Summit, N. J., were struck by a train.

DRIED FRUIT—Sun-dried apples, 12c & 2c for quarters and 2½c for sliced; Alden & Plummer, 5½@8c; pears, sliced, 2½@3c; whole, 2c; plums, pitted, 6c; do unpitted, 1@1½c; peaches, unpecied, 7½@8c; peeled, 12c; apricots, 7½c; German prunes, 4c; French do, 5c; nectarines, 9c; black berries, 19c; California Figs, 2%5c; California raisins, 81@1.50 for loose and \$1.75 & 2c for layers; London do, \$2@2.25.

NUTS—California almonds, 6c \$\mathscr{B}\$ both and 10c for soft; peanuts, 3@4c; California walnuts, 9c; pecan, 10c; filberts, 13c; Brazil, 9c; hickory, 7@9c; cocoanuts, \$4\sqr{S}\$ \$\mathscr{B}\$ 100.

HONEY—Comb, 6@10c \$\mathscr{B}\$ both for hard shell and 10c for soft; peanuts, 3@4c; California walnuts, 9c; pecan, 10c; filberts, 13c; Brazil, 9c; hickory, 7@9c; cocoanuts, \$4\sqr{S}\$ \$\mathscr{B}\$ 100.

HONEY — Comb. 6@10e # 15 for best grades; candied, 4½@5c; extracted, 4@5jc. LARD—California, tins, 10-lbs, 8@8jc; -Ib tins, 8160 9c.

BUTTER-Fresh roll, fancy dairy, 29% 30c & lb; good to choice, 25@274; pickled roll, 21@224c; other grades, 124@224c. EGGS-27@28c # dozen for California; Eastern, 14517c.

SALT—Liverpool, 14@22.50 # ton: California, fine, \$14@16; do, coarse, \$10@12.
TALLOW—Good, 5c # lb.
BEESWAX—25@27c # lb for yellow. HIDES-Dry. # lb, usual selection, 16@ 16; dry kip, 16@17; dry calf, 20c; salted

50 to 55ibs. 8c.

steers, 50 to 55ibs, 8c, SUGAR-Dry granulated, 6%; extra fine cubes, 7c; fine crushed, 7c; pow-dered, 7c; extra fine powdered, 8c SYRUP-American retinery is quoted at 30c in bbls, 324c in hf bbls, 374c in 5-gal kegs, and 47ic in 1-gal tins. WOOL-San Joaquin, 11@14c &

choice northern, 18@20c. Albert McCra and James Nevils met in the neighborhood of Union Church, Jeffer-son county, Miss., and, both parties being which he died in about two hours,

Nevils was uninjured. Wm. Hancock and his eldest son, who had previously quarreled over some business matters, mes in the road near Lafayette, Ala. Both leveled theirguns together, and the parent was killed instantly. The younger son seized the father's gun and fired at the brother, inflicting a slight wound. The parricide then drew a revolver and mortally wounded his younger. volver and mortally wounded his younger

LATE NEWS SUMMARY.

Foreign and Demestic. The decrease in the public debt during

July was \$8,662,769. It is estimated that the Grant monument will cost \$500,000. Turkey has contracted for \$3,500,000

worth of new heavy artillery. A Nebraska crank has been arrested for declaring his desire to kill Cleveland.

The house in which General Grant was born was sold for \$7000 to New York par-Mail sacks from the United States pass-

ing through France to Italy, must be tarred or fumigated. At Halifax, Edward Withers fatally shot his daughter, aged 18 years, and then

killed himself. The export of slaves from the Mozam-bique coast from 1807 to 1847 amounted to 5,000,000 souls. General Wolsely has been re appointed

to his former office of Adjutant-General of the British forces. The mails for China and Japan will hereafter be sent via England, thence through the Suez Canal.

The total production of pig iron in the

Unit-d States during the first six months of 1885 was 2,150,816 tons. It is now estimated that about 40,000 deaths have occurred in Spain since the

appearance of the cholera. Cattlemer paid the Indians upwards of \$200,000 last year under the land-leasing system for grazing purposes.

A number of lives were lost in the great fire at Toronto, Canada. Property to the amount of \$1,000,000 was also destroyed. A thunderbolt struck the church at Gerona, Spain, during services. Two per-sons were killed and fifteen badly injured. A mob took a wife murderer from jail at Oak and, Miss., and hanged him to a tree. They then perforated his body with

bullets.
The Salvation Army presented to the House of Commons a petition one mile and a half long and containing 500,000

signatures. Conductor Ransome was killed and seven passengers were badly wounded in a railroad accident near Spartanburg, North Carolina. The Israelites of the country are prepar-

ing to erect a monument or statue in Central Park, New York, in honor of Sir Moses Monteflore. At Louisville, Ky., Michael Kaelin, German dairyman, cut his wife's throat and then suicided. Jealousy was the

Postmaster Veazey has notified all the lady clerks in the Baltimore Postoffice that after September 39th their services will not be required. The steamer C. O. Kel'ey burned to the water's edge at Pembroke, Ontario, four of the crew perishing and two others

cause of the tragedy.

being seriously injured.

The Mahoning Valley, in Pennsylvania, is suffering from a prolonged drought and towns having an aggregate population of 60,000 are absolutely without water. A rebellion broke out in the State Agri-

cultural College at Ames, Iowa, and forty-eight students left the institution. The trouble arese over the expulsion of two Miss Martha Brown, a beautiful young lady, was instantly killed at a ball at Rogersville, Georgia, by a revolver which fell from the pocket of a young man and was discharged.

excursionists en board, was struck by a cyclone on the Delaware river and wrecked. The pilot was drowned and several per-sons were fatally injured. At Pittsburg, Pa., Policeman Thomas Bender, struck an unknown man who was resisting arrest twice on the head with his billy. The man died in a few minutes

The steamer Major Riebold, with 100

from the effect of the blow. An old man named James Hall, of Teely county, Georgia, caught his foot when ward before he was discovered.

At Marion, Indiana, vigilantes attem-ted to hang a negro. Sheriff Holman and guard, after giving warning, fired a volley, instantly killing James Keilley and wound-ing three or four other vigilantes. Several villages in Central Asia have been ruined by earthquake shocks. At Belovodsk a church collapsed, killing fifty-four persons and injuring sixty-four. Many persons perished at other towns.

Mrs. James H. McMullen, of Portland, Maine, while en route to Old Orchard on the Boston and Maine Railway, was robbed of a satchel containg diamonds and Government bonds, valued of about \$30,-On the Fourth of July Miss Carrie Wiley, of Colfax, Illinois, had her eye permanently destroyed by a skyrocket prematurely discharged, and has commenced suit against the town of Colfax, for \$10,000

ruined.
At Chicago, Mrs. M. Walsh, an aged widow, was found murdereds. It was rumored in the neighborhood that she kept large sums of money in her house which she had collected from tenants. The object of the murderer was very likely robbery. A tremendous waterspout passed over Transylvania county, N. C. The water is said to have rolled over in a perpendicular wall twelve feet high and a quarter of a

mile wide. The destruction of crops was complete and many bridges and houses were washed away. At What Cheer, Iowa, fifteen men attempted to secure possession of a lot of liquor captured by the Prohibition League and stored in the basement of the Postoffice. The Postmaster, B. S. Brainard, was awakened by the breaking down of the door, and fired, killing John Dey and wounding another man.

At St. Paul, Minn., a Celestial laundryman, son of the Mayor of Canton, China, was married to Mary Schneider, a German girl who formerly ironed in his laundry. After the ceremony, August Kahn, accompanied by a policeman, entered the laundry and abducted the bride. The Celestial threatens to institute suit.

At Chicago, W. L. Smith and A. L. Talbot ascended in two balloons for a race mid-air. When a height of 1200 feet had armed with double-barreled shotguns, began firing at each other. After Nevis mid-air. When a height of 1200 feet had gun was empty he shot McCra three times in the bead with a pistol, from the effects. Taibot came down with his wreck comparatively uninjured, but Smith fell the whole distance, striking some telegraph wires. He was fatally injured. The medals presented to General Grant at various times, and others issued in his honor, have been gathered together in one

collection and are to be placed on exhibi-

tion in New York. This collection com-prises forty medals. in white metal, brass and bronze, each illustrating some inci-dents in the military and political life of

THE AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHY CRAZE It Brings About a Divorce Through "Hold-

ing the Mirror Up to Nature." Young America, ever on the qui vive for crazes, is once again rattled from apex to foundation by the national enthuse, photography. Some of you gay smateurs are laying up cart loads of trouble, distress, and

disaster. For instance, during your joyeus peregrinations in quest of natures idvllic simplicity you come upon a pretty maid dressed in ganzy costume; she reclines upon the velvet sward reading a novel, as her lily fingers pensively caress the silken ears of a pet canine. From your retreat among the bushes you aim your little camera; you focus your ground-glass; you slip in a plateholder and fire away. Chuckling to yourself, you load your traps upon your back and hie yourself to some other scene.

You see through the interlaced bushes a pair of lovers cosily ensconced in a rose arbor. The lovers wot not of your dangerous preximity. They are wholly, totally, conclusively wrapped up in the sweets of love's young dream. His arm is about her waist and she is gazing up at his manly features with soul-absorbing eyes. Is it not a picture worthy the limner's art? It is, aim your little gun and you take that pretty picture, and you steal away with the idea



You take that pretty picture. that you've goe something great. have, you have! Just wait for the harvest

before you congratulate yourself. You wander about as free as a bird, only birds of the present day do not go forth with little cameras, seeking whom they may You have many, many pictures as "take." the result of your day's work. But, among all your successes, none so utterly successful as the maiden reclining upo the velves sward, and the lovers in the rose arbor.

By the way, you are a stranger to all par-

ties. Better for you you'd gone and hung yourself than show the picture of the lovers to the lady whose feet you elongated. But you wot not of the sorrow, and blunder on in your mad career to show off your artfoole Does the lady get wroth? Would the confiding wife get upon ber heels and jaw the air if shown a picture of her hubby hugging another woman! Human nature is the same

the wide world over, and women more so.

That lady of elongated feet now figures in

the courts as the plaintiff in a divorce case.

That husi nd is a doomed man and-the

other lady is down several pegs in the estimation of her sex. How is it ith you, oh, amateur aspirant for photographic fame? You are the central figure of the case, and your camera brought you into this most unpleasant prom-inence. If you must go forth with your camera, for Heaven's sake fire at barns, he was climbing a fence and remained hanging four days with his head downscarecrows; but beware how you tackle hu-

manity. Two Boston Legal Stories

|Boston Journal. | A clerk of one of Boston's courts tells a very good story of a somewhat flighty lawyer who was once trying a case in which there was a great scarcity of witnesses, and the evidence was about all circumstantial. Finally the lawyer got excited and ex-claimed: "Why, judge, the angel Gabriel came to me last night and said this man is innocent." The judge, who happened to be writing, did not even look up, but said in the most matter-of-fact way: "Let him be

subpænaed." Another legal story relates to Gen, Butler and Judge Hoar. The judge is a very digni-fied man, has no relish for pleasantries in court such as the general enjoys, and, besides, does not love the general very much. One day the judge read an extract from some law book, and the general, as is his wont, asked to see it. "There it lies," said the judge sternly, as he pointed to it. "Yes," said the general, as he took it up, "there it does lie." The dignified court got decidedly

the worst of that bout. Incidents in an Absent-Minded House



DISCOVERIES MADE BY THE WIFE They Can't Slander the Doctor.

his enemies in Judge Mackey's office. Among other things he said: "I know, judge, my patients never slander me nor criticise my knowledge and treatment," "No," replied the judge, with a sly twinkle of the eye, "dead men tell no

[The Hatchet.]

A Washington physician was discussing

Like Papa's. [Walf.]

"Well, young gentleman, how would you like your hair cut?" "Oh, like papa's, please; with a little round hole at the top."

A Horrible Suggestion [Chester Evening News.]

If Secretary Whitney has so much try with the Dolphin, what would he do if he