THE TERRIBLE MAN EATER.

The Scientific American says: During the year 1872 a census was taken in India of the persons who had been killed by wild animals during the vears 1868, 1869, and 1870. The total reached 38,218, of which it was found that 25,664 had died through the bites of venomous serpents, while the remaining 12,554 had nearly all been devoured by tigers. So that, for the years mentioned, Her Majesty's dusky subjects were eaten at the rate of about one every two hours. Plenty of such suggestive statistics are at band. Official ports from Lower Bengal state tha 13,400 persons in that section of the country were devoured in si years, and the destruction over the entire peninsula is estimated at 10, 000 people a year. In 1869 one ti gress blockaded a road, stopped traffic thereon for several weeks, and slaughtered 127 victims. During two previous years she killed 108 people

Nor do the feline damages end here. We have further statistics which show that for each person killed sixty I end of cattle are destroyed and this aggregates a money loss of about \$5,000,000 yearly. The terror produced by a tiger's ravages often desolates whole villages. At one time, in one of the Central Indian provinces, thirteen villages and a cultivated area of 250 square miles were simultaneously abandoned, owing to the visitation of a band of tigers.

The above facts have been laid before the English House of Lords. and the government has been asked the other hand Seattle in Washingto take speedy measure to check the ton Territory, which is afflicted by present fearful rate of carnage.

The total amount of gold coin issued | And again San Francisco wivere nearat the San Francisco mint for 1876, is ly one fourth of the deaths now re-\$32,022,000; of silver, \$10,682,000; sult from the diphtheria is located total coinage, \$42,704,000. This in a healthy climate and place. shows an increase of the coinage in It is probable that the disease is pies, and had some to spare 1875, which was \$32,069,000. The mainly constitutional and when epwhole amount of silver shipped idemic, being contagious, when it from San Francisco to China and makes a start in a town or thickly Japan, for the last ten years, is \$62,- settled community, it spreads and

This is what the Scientific Ameri- happens to be unhealthy this adds to can says about Duniway's new book, its virulence, but, perhaps, is not "David and Anna Matson:" "This is the cause of its appearance. This \$2,600,000. great. She now has an opportunity many years prior. to 'smiff,' and listen to the 'groan' of the public."

The S. F. Bulletin's mortuary report for the first week in January is servative papers are including in con 161. During the past seven weeks siderable sharp shooting just now as says that paper 162 persons have may be seen from thefollowing: The died of smallpox in that city nearly Richmond Dispute's says: all under the age of 15 years. Last week 37 cases were reported, showing an increase of cases. The lipatheria is raging in the city.

In regard to the conduct of Governor Grover, the situation begins to Gro-very sectors .-- 3 acturl.

Well, Watts the use of Cronin about it, since it only makes Tilden's sky more Hazey than before?

Grant says that in case no result ocratic party made the canvass against in the Preside tial election is reached before the 4th of March, the the South in a position of hostility President of the Senate will be reco- to the results of the war, the Northern | the long and short term. nized by the Cabinet as the Presi- Democracy comes to the front and dent of the United States.

It wouldn't be a bad idea, in this diptheria epidemic, to piu the little boy's comparison of cold "to your mamory: Positive, cold; comparative, cough; superlative, coffin."

"Brick" Pomeroy, has just maried his third wife, a proof-reader in inst. the office of his paper. His second wife is a theatrical star, and his first wife has just taken her second hus

Walla Walla, 15,000 bushels. They sold it to the Pioneer Oil Company What was running in the Statesman's brain vlen le perre this? " Tue feattle Dispetch has the fol- becoming a valuable article of pro- seta. duce in the section named, and is lowing account of the brain draming being extensively cultivated. work of writing for a daily paper."

There is a man in Nehalem Who 1876, 40,000,000 feet of lumber, 16,bas such large feet that if he gets 000,000 latins, loaded 88 ships and wet in December he doesn't have a bought (by the Puget Sound Mill cold in the head until February.

"Peter," said a mother to her son, ber and 10,000,000 laths were cut "are you into those sweet-meats and 70 cargoes sent abroad. The again?" "No ma'am; them sweet- report from Port Ludlow is of 20, meats is into me."

barkentines of an aggregate tonnage Information is wanted as to the whereabouts of any article, which lumber cut in the mill. did not receive the highest award at the Centennial.

The Seattle University building in which t'e Cubans, under Gens. has been offered to the district for a Modesto Diaz and Antonia Mocco, public school house at \$20 per month. deleated the Spanish troops.

THE DIPHTHERIA.

air current from Wappato lake, which

they claim is miasmatic, is the cause

of this epidemic in the Grove. But

this view has no foundation in fact

should have been general on Wappato

lake, whereas the people of that dis

ease is largely attributed by the resi

includes the whole populace. If the

place where it makes its appearance

NEWSPAPER SHARP SHOOTING.

should regard it with admiration and

The Memphis Avalanche replies:

insists on no money, no aid, no subsi

THE TERRITORIES.

Ripe raspberries were picked from

The farmers in the Snake river

country raised 60,000 busiels of flax

seed last season, and those in the

The Port Gamble saw mill cut in

Co.) 54,000,000 feet of saw logs. At

Port Blakely 30,000,000 feet of lum-

000,000 feet cut. Schooners and

of 1,000 were built at the place from

Two imperant engagements have

been fought on the Cuban islands.

the bushes at Olympia on the 2d

States and Holman in the west.

ment of the Southern people.

This scourge is now disappearing A shipment of quartz to San Franfrom our county. Only a few cases, one on Wappato Lake and several Granite creek, yielde 1\$437 to the ton Huguenots took refuge in foreign Two miles northeast of Forest Grove. 21 near Beaverton, have been reported of rock. At the mine the rock netoutside of the Grove. Why the dis- ted \$200. ease centered at this locality is a matter of diverse opinion, founded motion to grant W K Neil a new on mere conjecture. Some argue trial for the killing of Sath W Haves that the Grove being situated at a which was argued before him last point in the sweep of the southern

> Albany is very healthy at this time. In a population of nearly 4000 it is said there are eleven persons sick nine children and two adults.

THE STATE

because if it were true, the disease W. B. Clark of Roseburg, was coralled and "bull dozed" by the lalies of that place. He won't sell any trict have been remarkably healthy more "tangle leg" to the boys.

during the winter. The Grove hither-The Courier says: Mr. J. L. Hamto has been considered the most bree, of Lafavette, killed a bat last healthful place in the county, even week which measured sixteen inches more so than the scattered settlefrom tip, to tip, and its boly, for ments in the rural districts surrounding it, and why it should have been and all, was almost as large as the only point in the county subject. min's fist. Its fur instead ed to the epidemic is unknown. being the usual color resembles I welve years ago Hillsboro, we are very much that of the balger. Its told, was scourged by the same dis- teeth were almost a quarter of an ease, yet our people have been re- inch in length and very sharp.

markably healthy this winter, not a The total tax in Linn county this case of diphtheria having appeared year is about \$63,000, of which among us yet, and our town is loca- \$31,100 has been collected.

ted in a flat plain where the water The Dixie people confilently exstands in the streets at long intervals pect the west sile rail roul will during the usual winters, but the Grove is situated on the edge of a the 1st of October.

high and dry plain in the fringe of a for st and comparatively sheltered, with no swamps or swampy lands in the contiguous districts. At Salem Crooked river, is 13) miles from Aibawhere the epidemic is now raging ny and 125 miles from The Dalles. so fearfully that people are seeking

Some villain tried to poison a whole safety in flight, the cause of the disschool in lAbany, by placing a little bag of arsenic in the pump at the dents to want of local drainage. On Court-house well. If he could be found the people would make way with him in very short ord r. this scourge, is situated on the side

If anybody wishes to go whortleof a hill washed by the healthful sea berry picking in winter, they can do it successfully in the vicinity of Point Adams. Mes Tracy, a few days ago picked enough for several

A case of smallpox is reported at Oregon City.

NOTES AND NEWS.

Total amount of deficiencies reported thus far in Pacific Coast appro- the question: Has a young lady the priations for the current year is about right to kiss the gentleman with

claimed to be a poem, and the disease did not become epidemic in In the breaking of an ice gorge There were nineteen afficultive writer tells us she has 'sniffed the United States until 1856, before at Cincinnati on the 12 h, the new votes. The one negative vote was bland breeze of the broad Mississippi' which time it was sporadic. But in steamer "Calumet," valued at \$24,- cast by a woman with rad being and a and 'listened all rapt to Niagara's Europe it had been epidemic for 050; sank and will proably prove a glass eye.

total loss. Insured for \$17,000. The Southern fire-eating and con and 30 feet in places.

The marine disasters for Decem- for boots. - Easion Fire Press. Nobo ly has any right to impugn the ber, in which the United Sates was independence and plack of the North ern Democratic party, and the South interested, number sixty-two, involving \$790,000, exclusive of cargoes.

gratitude as a friend in distress and Daring the last fiscal year the defender in the field where the south whiskey tax amounted to \$56,429,cou'd not be heard on its own b-half This is no doubt the general senti-365; the tax on fermented liquors, to \$9,581,238; on tobacco, \$39,705,-33J. An aggregate of \$106,792,974. The Nothern Democratic party or in round numbers, two and a half deserted the South in 1861 and betrayed it since the war in 1868 the Dem- dollars for every man, woman, and child in the country.

the constitutional amendments, but Jas G. Blaine has been re-elected i 1876 ratifies them! After placing to the U. S. Senate from Maine for

Geo. F, Hoar has been elected to the U. S. Senate by the Masschuly, to the "disloyal South." Of this class of scurvy politicians Fernando ssetts Legislature.

Wood is a leader in the Middle At Springfield Ill., on the seventh ballot for U. S. Senator, Logan re-

cieved 100 votes out of 201. T. W. Ferry has been re-elected U. S. Senator from Michigan.

One hundredthousandarned Democrats are preparing to go to Washington to witness Tilden's peace-

Garland, Democrat, has been chosen U. S. Senator from Arkans. s. Hon. Wm. Windom has been refor two cents per pound. Flax is elected U. S. Senator from Minne-

> Fred. May is in Washington City, and is unhurt.

The snow blockade has been raised, and the first freight over the New Drugs, York Central r il road passed o"er on the evening train of the 18th

The European conference on the Eastern question has broken up with out settling the difficulty. War between Russia and Turkey is now al most certain.

Rain has at last come in California and the people are jubilant. The fall was about three inches and a half which makes about twelve in hes for the season.

The snow blockade in the Eastern States has broken up and the railroads are clear again.

The Huguenots in America.

On the revocation of the E liet of cisco from the Monumental mine on Nantes in 1685, at least 500,000 countries. From this time, for many years their cause was comple-Judge R. P. Boise overraled the tely broken in France. In 1705 there was not a single organized congregation of Huguenots left in all France. - So early as 1555, Coligni Including thousands of Strawberry plants attempted, but without seccess, to establish a Huguenot colory in Brazil. In 1562 he sent out two ships, under the command of Jean Ribault, on a voyage of Exploration to Florida, but the attempt to establish a colony was unsuccessful. Many departed for North America even before the revocation of the Edict of Nautes. Some settled in and around New Amsterdam, now New York, where their family names are frequent. Others found homes in Massely setts, "Rhode Island, and Virginia. But South Carolina was their favorite resting place, and a large number of the foremost families in that State are of Huguenot origin. This class of immigrants has contribued, in proportion to its numbers, a vast share to the culture an 1 prosperity of the United States. Wherever they settled they were noted for severe morality, great charity, and politeness and be completed to the La Creole by elegance of manners. Of seven presidents who directed the deliberations Prineville, a town of about 500 of the Congress of Phiadelphia dupopulation, situated at the mouth ring the Revolution, three, Henry of the Ochoco, at its junction with Laurens, John Jay, and Elias Bou d.not, were of Hagaenot parentage. Appleions' American Cylopælia rev.sed edition, article "Haguenots."

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Twenty Brooklyn ladies voted on whom she takes an evening drive?

We ate a piece of mince pie last The break up of ice in the Obio zight, and then dreamed that a River has been the most disastrous twelve-foot giant dressed in peaof any on record. The lowest esti- green boiler-iron, ornamented with mated damage at Cincinnati is \$250 .- red-hot horse-shoes, and who wore homes 000; at Pittsburg, \$3,000,000. The railroad spikes for coat tails, was terms. ice at the latter place piled up 20 sitting down on our breast while he putted on a pair of water-pipe elbows

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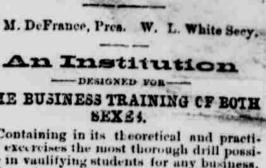
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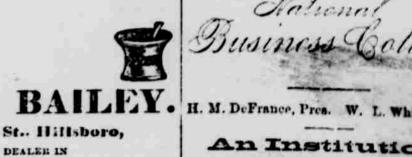
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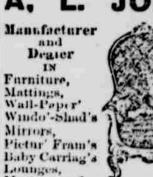
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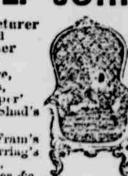
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