### A Hunt After Bats

for the London Illustrated Sporting and Dramatic News, is my friend Mr. Ec. cles' description of how he caught innumerable bats one night. It was many years ago, when he was young in his de morile ob dis heah gang. I kinder cotch up wid you, boys. I yes made up dat tale about de woman an de pen, an increase so of a frightened bird, in the curtains of his bed. He sprang up, struck a light, and saw a dark-colored little a light, and saw a dark-colored little creature with wings blundering about the corner with wings blundering about the corner cotch nuthin but a little turkle.

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Hardly had he doned off when another fluttering awakened him, and lighting another match he found another bat. After this one he had another hunt, exught it, put it is the deaver with its brother, and again went to bed. Again, however, he was awakened in a kindly than rich. Certainly it has not similar manner; buts came not in single that richness of virgin land of which it is A post mortem on the remains of Dye is spies, but-if the expression be pardon- said, "Tickle it with a hoe, and it laughs now in progress, with a view to ascertaining able-in battalions.

thusiastically, making quite a collection | and that considerably earlier than in other of specimens, and putting them all with places north of Norlolk. There is still a great care in the drawer. Heated with remnant of the old style of farming to be dyke at Matsqui has given away and let the the chase, he then opened the window, seen, of which it was said that there were water on the prairie, which is now overand, tired out, at last enjoyed a few only three crops raised in Virginia corn, minutes' sleep.

jumped out of bed and opened the drawer the hogs One of these "crops," howvery eauthously, a fraction of an irch at ever, is removed from the list. a time, to look for his bats; but, lo ' and | behold, there were no bats there. He The small farmers of the North cannot opened the drawer wide, and then dis. compare with these in absolute destitucovered that it had no back to it. He tion of money. had, in fact, been passing all his night in catching the same but, which had flown out of the back of the drawer as when the window was opened had finally

# A Man Who Had Time to Spare. as any man I ever saw."

industrious of men, but was never so ez much ez I need money, I-I wouldn't busy as to deny an audience. Some ev hed this happen to me fer-fer twentyminor State officers in these piping times | five dollars! of peace are more puffed up and selfimportant than he was at the height of his military power. H. O. Houghton, of Cambridge, told me once that he had corn on their own account, in ground occasion to call upon General Dix in mostly so filled with stumps and so given New York at a critical period during to over-growing bushes as to be useless the war. Although the General was to any but themselves. One sometimes harrassed and alarmed by the threatening state of affairs in the city, and was familias does the plowing, Filius Minimus at the same time unacquainted with Mr. Houghton, the great publisher found him in citizen's dress and so unpretentious that he was charmed as much by his simplicity of manner as by the force of his character. The interview so agreeably begun led to a satisfactory understanding at once. Subsequently, when the General translated Dies Irae, he sent his verses to the Riverside Press, and the writer and printer became close friends.-Correspondent Albany Jour-

but one way to go to any known place. I with a stuffed club.

#### The Linn-Street High-School.

"Dar's gwine ter be a pow'ful sarch-The Southerner dismounted like a steamboat splosin had tuk place and Charles Reddenger at a gambling table dving caress. Gordon slid all that had leasin of all de trouble. De committy is constable been detained 15 minutes longer, agents in your own town not to chalk, been requested, after he had endered his now organized, and de investigation will the murderer would have been lynced.

"Bill Bosin, whar was you vestiddy (" " Sot!

" Yes, von. "1-1 was out ter Cummunsville, propriation comes in. There are three par-Gordon's election to the United States fishin' in de canal, and nebber caught ties in the field Senate, Barlow has been in Washington, | nuffin but a little mud turkle, 'dout any tail." And Bill began to leak out of

The two men had not met since the but- "Dat'll do, ver needn't commence to tle of Gettysburg. They and opposite git up er wet spell here in harvest time. the door. Mr. Reed refused, when the door one another at the table. After intro- Turn dat book right side up, an set duction, the Southerner manifest of the down on dat nail keg outer de way. Northerner, "Are you a kineman of the Stan' up, Jim Johnsing, whar was you manded, but refused Sourch was then

"I went out to de baseball, and Then indoes it a combined people from de cracks in de fence. I

told to the company by Gordon with "All right," said Mr. Coperaious, and fine effect, and not without moistened be smiled just the least bit.

was at chuich ! "No, sir ee, twasn't me put no pun on

der seat, f I kin prove by Johnnie and the Supreme Court raied last week that One of the function states I have Simson dat me an him went out ter Mr. he should have a change of venue, and his heard for a very long time, says a writer Stone's orchard and get some lapsies didn't we, Johnnie !"

"Yes, we did, an' of Stone like to get us, an' we hid from him in the gall- kum lynching is closed but the verdict will erry patch, an staid still mos night. "Dat'll do, boys; dat'll do. Here, profession, while on a lost with a pro Joe Johnsing, run dis aprout in de hot known for several days. Mr. Yokum revinctal company, he had taken ledgings ashes and kinder temser it, till I get off ceived five shits in his body before he was in a clean but rather dilayedated little my cont an' prepar' to rectify some ob hong. His right arm was nearly shot off inflances mediate of the age. It makes because you have been affected, with a shotgan and a load from a shotgan long or severy you have been affected. creature with wings blundering about never cotch nuthin but a little turkle and Tommy Lukens and Johnny Simpson was helpin' devselfs to Mr. Stone's apples, and like to got cotch. All right, boys; de testimony is all in an de verdie's made up. We will now perseed to pass de sentence on outraged law." And in about a minute a sound like fire crackers on the Fourth of July was heard in the temple of knowledge, and a weeping day for the murder of A. M. Tulks last Auand a howling like a tunnagerie in a thunderstorm went out on the surrounding atmosphere until Aunt Dinah, them. The clergyman real a statement conwho lives over the way, leaned on her scrubbing brush and remarked, "Brudder Copernicus 'tirely too sevigerous' pressing a hope of redemption. Dye mean-

#### when he gets started." Peninsular Virginia

The soil of peninsular Virginia is rather in a harvest," but light manuring pro- the condition of his brain. Mr. Eccles hunted diligently and en- duces a quick return and ample crops, hogs and niggers, of which the hogs ate Waking with the morning light, he all the corn, and the niggers devoured all

The "poor white" is poor-very poor.

"Doctor," said one of them who had slowly recovered consciousness after being terribly injured by an exploding grindsoon as he had put it in the front, and stone-"docto", I reckon I'm pretty badly bruck up, hain't I?"

"Yes, my man; you are hurt just about as hadly, to stand a chance of recovery,

"Thet's so, thet's so. Wa'al, doctor, Governor Dix was one of the most | do you know, thet ez poor ez I am, an,

Many of these poor whites are day laborers on the neighboring farms, but others work a small patch of potatoes or sees them working in their fields. Paterdrops the corn and the rest come in reg-

ular sequence, Mater leading the hoeing. The poor are wofully ignorant, as the upper classes are, in many instances indolently progressive, though far less than some things you don't know, at 50 you formerly. In short, the Virginia portion are sure of your ignorance, and after of the peninsula seems sunk in a Rip Van that you read Mr. Beecher's sermon on Winkle sleep that has lasted a hundred everlasting punishment and hope he is instead of twenty years, and that as yet right. shows but small signs of awakening.

design on the American dollar gives hair, or by combing her own hair over it, you, is that the eagle has just been but appears to be proud of the distinc-The average railroad map is cut bias. roused from a brown study by an awful tion that it gives her in public assembla-

### PACIFIC COAST.

A Mounter. San Francisco, May 26 .- A horrible case terday, the accused being one John James McCalvey, a drummer for Hall's soap factory and the complainants two little girls, aged nine and eight years respectively, and be-The little girls belong to different families, and told their stories in the presence of agreeing in all particulars. They were to empty car during the day time and succeeded | the House. as well as circumstances would allow in outraging the elder, contenting himself with merely an assault upon the younger. He prevailed on them to keep the matter secret, and they did not tell the story until he met them near the close of last week and asked to repeat the liberties. Upon information received an officer arrested McCalvey on Seventeenth street yesterday. He was charged with tape, and indecent assault.

Cambling and Nursey. WHERENE, May 26. A quarrel occurred sulted in the killing of Kuif. They had been gambling during the afternoon, and a and caught Keif's right arm and placed his pistol near his forchend and fired, the ball entering Keif's brain, causing instant death.

#### Waiting for Coin.

The appropriation having become hausted, no more work will be done by the United States coast survey porties on the Sound till July, at which time the new ap-

Mob Law. Bannorman, Cal. May 28 - At about 12:15 this morning some one called at the door of the court house and was answered by Jailor Reed, who was requested to open was forcibly broken and about 75 men entered, the juiler was ordered to throw up in bands, which he did. The kevs were d made and the keys found. The mob entered the cells containing Thomas and William Yokum, and lynched them by nonging them in their cells. Wm. Yokum was chained to the floor of the cell, and so the chain, could not be loosened, he was hung with the chain on his feet and was shot as versi times. The "Whar was you, Tom Lukens | You Yokums were in just for the killing of Johnson and Tucker at Long Tom more than a year ago. Wm. Yokum had his trial and was convicted of murder in the first degree

will be taken to Oakland to night for inter-

Francisco board would hold its sessions as usual on Friday next, Decoration Day. Beavy Failure.

Prosper May, an old established wholesale liquor dealer, 723 and 725 Clay street, is re-

ported failed for \$50,000.

Troy Dye and Anderson Hanged. Say Francisco, May 29. - Troy Dye, formerly public administrator of Sacramento county, and his partner in crime, Edward Anderson, were hanged at Sacramento togust. At noon the prisoners ascended the scaffold and white shrouds were pulled over cerning Anderson's spiritual condition, and also a statement written by Anderson, admitting the justice of the penalty and extime grew weak and pale and vomited twice, but remained quiet. The clergyman then began a prayer. The nones were adjusted. the black caps drawn over their bends, and at 12:13 the drop fell. The necks of both the condemned were broken by the fall, and in 14 minutes they were pronounced dead.

# British Columbia Items.

J. L. Jungermann, an old San Francisco ieweler, died suddenly last night. Frazer river has risen several feet, and the flowed to a depth of two feet Engineers have arrived to explore for a

line of railway through the Peace river country. It is claimed that a line through that section would be 650 miles shorter than any other continental line now under way or

# An Idea for School Teachers.

A Massachusette teacher writes to the National Journal of Education describing an experiment in the schoolroom which seems to be successful. Instead of facing his pupils he has his desk behind them, and thus overlooks them to great advantage. The naughty little ones, not knowing when his eyes is upon them, dare not whisper or play. "They have," he says "so frequently come to grief in attempting to calculate chances, that they have concluded to make a virtue of necessity and give up play in the schooroom as unprofitable, costing more than it comes to. Another decided advantage of this system is that it completely isolates classes reciting from the rest of the school, the recitation benches being in front of the teacher's desk, between him and the school, and the backs of the pupies being toward each other, communication by look or sign is out of the question. The only special rule is that pupils shall not look

At 20 you know everything, at 30 you have your doubts, at 40 there are

A bald Cincinnati woman does not The first impression of the English cover the bare top of her head with false The wide black lines show that there is and unexpected "swipe" across the back | ges, for she always removes her bonnet. but one way to go to any known place. with a stuffed club.

### A Row Among Congressmen's Wives.

Lovely woman at Washington is having a very unlovely contest all to her of alleged rape occurred at the Mission yes- self. The custom has been to admit the wives of members of the House to the reserved galleries of the Senate upon a member's card, but the Senate ladies be long to most respectable families. The gan to object to the crowd, finding that crime took place on Sunday a week ago. it didn't allow their new Spring toilettes to show off to advantage. They finally their respective parents, their narrations got things to suit them, an order having b. en issued from the Senate side not to the effect that the man entired them into an recognize the cards of the members of

#### suffered Twenty Years.

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he should have a change of venue, and his case was moved to Freezo county. The mobwere all masked storpt five.

Bagenerian. Cal. May 28 — Ividence before the curoner in the matter of the Yokum lynching is closed but the verdict will not be given befor to-morrow. The remains the fuzzion, also a the latence licking (particle of ) night after getting warm in body, ands as a pow-gives instant and parameter raised and is proposed for Piles bicking of the private parts, and solding. Thousands of cored patients attest its voture.

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