HIS FIRST PASSENGER.

Robert Fulton's First Money Earned by Steam Navigation.

There was one little incident in Robert Fulton's life about which few people know and which Fulton never torgot. It took place shortly before the return trip of his famous boat's yoyage by steam up the Hudson River. At the time all Albany flocked to the wharf to see the strange craft, but so timorous were they that few cared to board her. One gentleman, however, not only boarded her, but wought ont Fulton, whom he found in the cabin, and the following conversation took place : "This is Mr. Fulton, I presume."

"Yes, sir." "Do you return to New York with this

boat?" "We shall try to get back, sir."

"Have you asy objection to my re-turning with you?" "If you wish to take the chances with

us, sir, I have no objection. "What is the fare ?"

After a moment's hesitation, Fulton replied, "Six dollars." And when that ount was laid in his hand he gazed at it a long time, and two big tears rolled down his cheeks. Turning to the passenger, he said :

Excuse me, sir, but this is the first pecuniary reward I have received for all my exertion in adapting steam to navi-gation. I would gladly commemorate the occasion with a little dinner, but I am too poor now even for that. If we meet again I trust it will not be the meet again I trust it will not be the CASO.

As history relates, the voyage termi-nated successfully. Four years later Fulton was sitting in the cabin of the Clermont, then called the North River. For a good hat, stylish and cheap call and then when a gentleman entered. Fulton on Wollenberg & Abraham, whose stock glanced at him, and then sprang up and embraces all grades of head gear. rant the called the stock of the st gladly shook his hand. It was his first passenger, and over a pleasant little dinner Fulton entertained his guest with the bistory of his success, and ended land with saying that the first actual recogni-tion of his usefulness to his fellow-men was the \$6 paid him by his first passen-

The Tallest Railroad.

The Peruvian Central Transandine, est prices, or Oroya railroad begins six feet above Parties tide-water at Callao. From Lima, eight miles abead and 500 feet higher, it winds up the narrowing valley of the Rimac, past great haciendas and forgot-At Chosica, thirty-three ten ruius. miles from the sea, it has gained but 2890 feet in elevation; but within the yard limits of that station begins the 4 per-cent grade, which is steadily maintained for seventy-three miles. The Rimac's gorge becomes deeper and mere con-tracted, the little boys and benches of enlityable land rarer. At the hamlet of coltivable land rarer. At the hamlet of San Bartolome serious engineering be-gins. The overhanging hillsdes on the right displayo the first "V," the charof 211 feet to the mile has in many places been stretched and the actual Roseburg, Oregon. gradient is sometimes nearer 5 per cent. But even this was insufficient to meet back a few furlongs or miles at full grade, in the high walls of the main gorge; some double and twist far up lateral val-leys. Not to confine the matter to single J. M. Scharman.

points, where the road has to give five miles to gain one, the total per centage ing. Fron Callao to Roya

NOTES OF INTEREST. A Salaman, the reliable jeweler. folid eilver novelties at Salzman's. J. T. Bryan, the Busy Watchmaker. Go to the Roseleal for the best cigars. For a good 5-cent cigar call on Mrs.N. Boyd. County claims and warrants bought by S. West. For first-class dentistry go to Dr. Little as frequently happens. of Oakland. R. W. Benjamin, dentist, room 1, Marsters' block. Pure fresh groceries and low prices at Casebeer's grocery. Key West, imported and domestic discomeness, cigars at the Roseless. One maple D. S. West does insurance. Office opposite the post office. Goods below cost at Caro's. Now is the time for bargains. Nobby suits and latest styles at Little Jack's. Prices very low. All styles and qualities of hats at Abraham's Bedrock prices. For bargains in family grocernes, call

at the People's store, Cass street. Call for the "Spotled Cal" at Mrs. earth, Rapp's grocery store, if you want a pleasant smoke.

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Parties desiring family sewing done tion. The rush for such a literary treaswould do well to call on Miss Fannie ure will probably surprise the museum McKean, 421 Main street. Will sew for trustees.

The Square Deal store has just opened up a teautiful line of W. L. Douglas shoes, which prove to be the best shoe made. Come and incord the best shoe made. Come and inspect them.

to decide from personal experience that One Minute Cougli Cure does what its name implies. Marsters' Drug Store.

acteristic device so frequently neccessary to overcome the headiong valley. The maximum gradient allowed by contract rifle, a good road cart. Guns must be as good as new. Address, box 512, The governor of Vermont has \$1500 a

Car. gradient is sometimes nearer 5 per cent. But even this was insufficient to meet the exigencies of the quebrada, whose floor often greatly excels that elope. The only way to get ahead was to run back a few furlongs or miles at full grade,

or thereabouts, not \$1500 only, as stated. Good pasturage furnished at my pasand then to shoot forward on the upper arm of the zigzag. Some of these "V's" run back and forth like sloping shelves able. All stock at owner's risk. The able. All stock at owner's risk. The crat. It is asserted that a syndicate of Eng-

NEWS NOTES.

Kansas will present to the King of Siam some corn stalks 22 feet long. Why a state should raise such things and populists is one of those facts that no body can explain. Mr. Cleveland should speak more hopefully of the republican party in view of the fact that it is an ark of safety for

lemocrats when their party goes wrong, An offer to relieve the hunger of the Cuban women and children forced to

ler as another example of Yankee med One maple tree in Vermont sometimes yields twenty-four gallons of sup, or 6 pounds of sugar. New maple syrup in that state sells for \$1 a gallon. It may be judged from the fact that not much of FANG

it gets scattered over the country. Sir Walter Besaut proposes that April

23, the probable date of Shakspeare's birth and death, should be made a day of celebration in all English-speaking nations. If the idea is adopted Shakspeare day will eventually girdle the

The most scientific forester in Europe save that the oldest trees in Northern Europe are the pines of Norway and Sweeden, and that these are known to ive more than 570 years. Germany's oldest oaks lived only a little more than

Anybody can be photographed as an angel in these times. It is only necessary to lie down on a slanted piece of

plate glass with a sky painted beneath, and then gauge and light draperies do But the artist will not warrant the expression.

only through his publishers, Chatto & Windns, "My book will soon be in-ished," he wrote a few weeks since to an

r Mark Twain is still living in retire-ment in England. He can be reached E Ш

intimate friend. It will be issued by his publishers in Hartford. The British Museum is not as sleepy an institution as might be supposed. It has arranged for the publication of a

portfolio of thirty-two facsimiles from the earliest printed books in its collec-

hoes, which prove to be the best shoe rade. Come and inspect them. One minute is all the time necessary Kruger took all the tricks and has the

stakes, this may be considered an bon-

A Philadelphia paper suggests that advancing civilization will confine the annual house-cleaning to any period when the entire family takes a vacation. Word will be sent to a Universal House-

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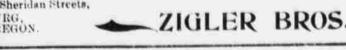
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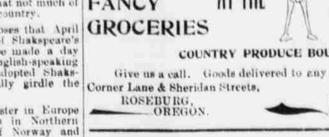
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rise-and this beside the unprecedented maintaining of such a maximum grade. Four miles above San Bartolome and

Four miles above San Bartolome and its tropic aide valley is the great bridge of the Agua de Verrugas, or water of warts. This noble cattilever, built in New Jersey, has a length of 520 feet and a height of 260. The old bridge was, in its day, the highest in existence—and was meant to be. To that end the center increase subtile a traditional to be the subscribers of the latter without extra character and Planter is a fullier alliterative, but sometimes by "apt al-literation's artful sid" you can catch the public eye and engage the public at-tention. The Webioot Planter is clubbed with the PLAINDEALER and the two papers will be furnished to all cash subscribers of the latter without extra

pier was sunk in a twelve-foot pit. This pier was washed out by a cloudburst in 1889, and for a year traffic was main-by the pier was main-1880, and for a year trained was main-tained by a cage swinging on cables across the gap. The present structure has been left far behind as to beight by the bridge over the river Loa, on the longest of narrow-guage railroads, and, with its thirty-inch track, the tipsiest. The Acus de Verruges is not to be The Agua de Verrugas is not to be laughed down as a superstition. Of the grim reality in these poisonous springs, which fill the unwary drinker with frightful goitres, one may see visible proofs of plenty. The building of the The facts are these; every move in our A severe drouth prevails now in Austra-

There are 50,000,000 women in the United States old enough to wear Easter hats. These 30,000,000 women spent \$100,000,000 upon Easter hats. This places each hat at an average of \$3.33. Many wore Easter hats that cost less. Miss Poverty Row bought only a bunch of violets, which she pinned on last year's frame-total cost loc. Miss Upper Flat purchased a hat upon the bargain counter and got a cheap wreath plume to dress it out with—cost, \$1.50. And some bought no hat at all—cost abso-lutely nothing. But Mrs. Veryrich, on the next street, whose back windows looked into the rear ones of Miss Poverty Row, purchased an Easter hat that cost \$40, and that is where the matter evened

itself up. Mary Ellen Lease would say "If one Mary Ellen Lease an Easter hat it woman went without an Easter hat it was because some other woman had a hat that cost twice as much as it ought to." But that is another story and does not effect the enormous figures that must be thought out, when the Easter hat is figured. Of the \$100,000,000 spent on hats:

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the length of the track is 2211 kilome-ters; of these 7612 (one mile in every three) are consumed in overcoming the rise-and this besude the unprecedented his Congo enterprises he can hardly be famous little pills. Marsters' Drug Store. blamed for entering upon a sure thing PLAINDEALER and Planter is a little game to recoup his losses.

There is no adequate cause for the two-column editorial by which the Louis-ville "Courier-Journal" proves that "Mr. Cleveland can never again be president of the United States." This job could be done in much smaller space. Not more than eighty or 100 persons out of

Notice is hereby given to the public want him to be President again, and not by the undersigned that I do not allow more than ten or twelve of these, it is dead animals to be burried on my prem-Prof. Douglass Archibald, who is con-sidered one of the most eminent meteorologists, forecasts another hot summer

right to do so. Tresspassers will be prosecuted acfor the Northern Hemisphere, great masses of ice in the Atlantic indicating an early polar spring. The abnormal heat is attributed to solar conditions, cording to law. AARON ROBE, Roseburg, Oregon, March 17th, 1885.

A severe drouth prevails now in Austra-

proofs of plenty. The building of the Verrugas bridge cost a terrible mortality, and the cometery of Bellavista is foll of its victims. This strange and frequently fatal "disease of the warts." which haunts many corners of the Cordillera, seems to have relation to certain mineral strata. It is alike unknown in this part of Peru below 6000 and above '9000 feet.—Harper's Weekly.
The Easter Hat.
There are 30,000,000 women in the United States old enough to wear Easter hats. These 30,000,000 women spent Ole Anderson, a Swede, living near Knab, Lewis county, Wash., last Friday put two sticks of dynamite in the oven of his kitchen stove to warm it up. The dynamite exploded, blowing the stove into fragments, some of which were bur-ied two inches deep in the ceiling and loc walls of the shanty. Anderson his

This even the all wool absolutely fast color \$S.00 suits. J. AURAHAN's Clothing House.

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Northern Pacific Change.

The Northern Pacific railroad will log walls of the shanty. Anderson, his make the following time card for its train wife, mother and five children were in the little room when the explosion oc-Sunday the 28th inst. Leaves Portland at 11 a. m., Tacoma 5 p. m., Seattle 4 p. The bottom of the baby's cradle was m., Ellensburg 10:10 p. m., Pasco 1:50 blown out, but the child was not scratched. The largest piece of the stove a. m. Arrives at Spokane at 5:50 a. m., Minneapolis 1:05 p. m. and St. Paul at 4:40 p. m. The new card will enable Italy's new queen will be the most re-

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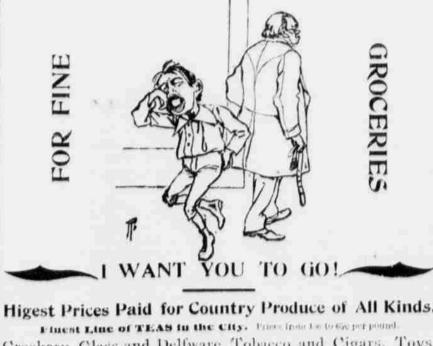
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