QUIEN SABE?

Quien Sabe—who know— is a phrase in common use among the Spaniards, and helps over many, many difficulties. It is expressive. What the weather may be in coming winter, who knows? It may be snowy, wet, stormy, cold, freezing, and full of sickness and pain, who knows? Some of us today, hale and hearty, may be on beds of torture, or hobble about on crutches, who knows? Before the autumn leaves into winter many may have symptoms of approaching trouble, of the old rheumatism coming on, or of first attacks of gout; who knows? That's a conundrum. But there is one thing everybody knows, the best thing to do is to be ready for the weather coming and to take hold of what helps. Everbody knows what is best. With Jacobs Oil in the house, everybody knows they have a sure cure for rheumatism, acute or chronic. It is likewise known that in any stage of it, the great remedy does its work of cure perfectly. If you suffer, we need not ask who knows, when it is so well known what is best.

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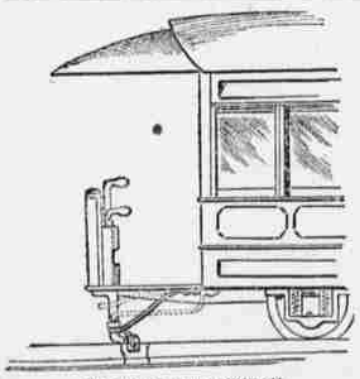
SPECIAL CAR FOR CHILDREN.

ment of the simpler remedies for childish ailments. A miniature toy shop is another adjunct of the traveling nursery, and it will contain everything from baby rattles to picture books and fairy tales.

SWITCH-TURNING DEVICE.

Street Rail Switch May Be Manipulated from the Car Platform.

A very simple device by which a street rail switch may be manipulated from the car platform was recently patented by John H. Boyer, of Philadelphia. The invention consists of a small upright guide fastened to the dasher of the car, which acts as a jacket or guide to a movable shaft. The latter has a handle at the top, and



TO TURN THE SWITCH.

when out of use this folds close to the dasher and under the top rail. The other end of the shaft is fittted with a rearwardly extending arm, to which is fixed a shoe pointed at the front end. In service the handle is pulled toward the operator. This allows the shaft to fall and the shoe drops into the groove of the track, and by pressing the handle to one side or the other the switch tongue is turned by the shoe as it slides along, passing to one side or the other of the tongue switch at the will of the operator.

Suits the Tailors.

Felix Faure's tailors made a good thing out of the St. Petersburg visit. It rained every hour of the President's stay in Russia, and consequently his eight dress suits and twelve silk hats were all ruined. When the reception at Dunkirk was given M. Faure on his return home he had to wear a "pressed suit," but that did not so much matter, for there again it also rained in torrents. As he always is the pink of elegance, this continued annoyance must have been as hard to bear as for some fine lady out in a downpour, minus an umbrella and no money for a cab.

Many Visited the Yellowstone.

The travel through Yellowstone National Park the past season has been unprecedented. From June 1 to August 20, 8,720 persons went through the park.

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The World Owes a Deep Debt of Gratitude to Sir Isaac Holden.

For that great convenience of modern life, the lucifer match, we are indebted to Sir Isaac Holden, who recently died in England. Some time ago before a committee of the House of Commons he told the story of his discovery. "I

SIR ISAAC HOLDEN.

began," he said, "as an inventor on a very small scale. For what I know, I was the first inventor of lucifer matches but it was the result of a happy thought. In the morning I used to get up at 4 o'clock in order to pursue my studies, and I used at that time the flint and steel, in the use of which I found very great inconvenience. I gave lectures in chemistry at the time at a very large academy. Of course I knew, as other chemists did, the explosive material that was necessary in order to produce instantaneous light; but it was very difficult to obtain a light on wood by that explosive material, and the idea occurred to me to put under the explosive mixture sulphur. I did that, and published it in my next lecture, and showed it. There was a young man in the room whose father was a chemist in London, and he immediately wrote to his father about it, and shortly afterwards lucifer matches were issued to the world."

Sir Isaac never secured a patent and thus reaped none of the great profits flowing from his great discovery.

COLORED WOMAN LAWYER.

Miss Lutie A. Lyttle the First Ever Admitted to the Bar in America.

Miss Lutie A. Lyttle is the first colored woman ever admitted to the bar in any court of the United States. She is 23 years old and a native of Tennessee. Some years ago her father moved from that State to Kansas, where he acquired a fortune and considerable influence in this community. In 1892 he secured for his daughter, who had received a good public school education, the position of engrossing clerk of the Kansas General Assembly. This work gave her a taste for a career higher and wider than domesticity, and soon afterward she went to Tennessee and entered the Nashville Central College, where she completed the full law course. A diploma from that institution, together with a certificate of good moral character from some lawyer, is sufficient for admission to any bar in the State without examination. Upon the certificate of a colored lawyer of standing, Judge L. P. Cooper of Memphis, without other fformality, ordered the clerk of his court to enroll Miss Lyttle as a member of the Shelby County

MISS LUTIE A. LYTTLE.

bar. The young woman had no intention of practicing law in Tennessee, but deemed it best to secure admission in that State as a stepping stone to entering active work in her profession in Topeka.

Corn as an Ornament.

Our American corn, which will not mature in Germany, is used in that country as a decorative plant. It is considered a beautiful object in the garden.

A woman is almost as proud of her mourning clothes as she is of her wedding clothes.

Important Recent Discovery.

The Smithsonian Institution has received a collection which is of importance to the archaeologist. It is known as the Seton-Karr contribution, having been discovered by this Englishman in Somaliland, on the eastern coast of Africa. The implements were purchased from the discoverer by the Smithsonian Institution. There are about 50 pieces in the collection, made of flint, of quartzite, and ranging in size from an inch or so in length to half a foot, some weighing several pounds. The objects are supposed to be spear heads, battle axes and wedges, truncheons, bludgeons or whatever they may be termed.

The discoverer had this to say on the subject of his find and the locality where the objects were unearthed:

"Certain landmarks as to the four rivers mentioned in Genesis led me think that the Garden of Eden, if it ever existed, may have been here, and that these very tools had been made and used by Adam and his numerous descendants. At any rate, my discoveries in Egypt and Somaliland lead me to the idea that man's original home, or the place where he was gradually evolved, must have been in Africa, or at least, in a tropical land, where clothes were unnecessary and food plentiful to hand."

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March 8, 1897. SAMUEL PITCHER, M.D.

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An effort is being made to compile "a roll of honor" for the Confederate Museum, in Richmond, Va., of all the soldiers and sailors who served the Confederate cause, with a verified report of the various commands to which they were attached during the four years of the war. Survivors and friends of those living or dead are appealed to to make up the record.

A floral curiosity is on exhibition in the Temple Gardens, London. It is a $5,000 orchid from Venezuela. It has a white flower which in shape resembles a sea-gull with outspread wings.

Cardinal Richelieu hated children and loved cats; when he died his favorite Angora pet refused to eat and soon perished.

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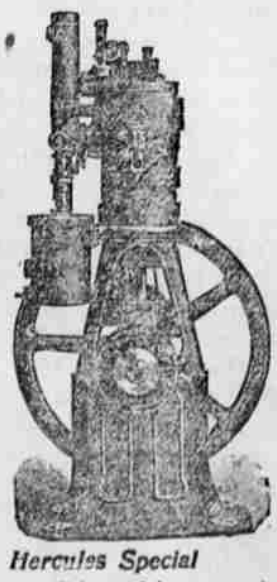

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