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BILL NYE.

Imported Fox-Hunting.

SLIPPERY ELMHURST, HUDSON, Wis., July 18, 1886. To the Editor of the Globe. Dear Sir Could you inform a constant reader most likely to obtain a good, durable troy the troublesome vermin. wild fox which could be used for hunting purposes on my premises? I desire a for that is a good roadster and yet not too bloodthirsty. If I could secure one that

would not bite it would tickle me most to

You know, perhaps, that I am of Engthe exhilarating sports of our ancestors and nothing thrills us through and country behind the fleeing fox, Joyeu sy we gallop over the sward behind the yelping pack, as we clearly scent high. low, jack, and the game.

My ancestors are haughty English peo ple from Piscataquis County, Maine, For centuries our rich, warm, red blood has been mellowed by the elderberry wine and huckleberry juice of Moosehead lake; but now and then it will assert itself and mantle in the broad and indestructible cheek of our race. Ever and

ica, where every man has to earn his living or marry rich, people will scorn my Ashland, Oregon. wild yearn for the rush and scamper of the hunt. By Jove, but it is joy indeed to gallop over the sward and the cover and the open land, the meet and the cucumber vines of the plebeian farmer, to run over the wife of the peasant and tramp her low, coarse children into the rich mold, to "sick" the hounds upon the rude rustic as he Paris-greens his potatoes, to pry open the jaws of the pack and return to the open-eyed peasant the quivering seat of his pantaloons, returning it to him not because it is lacking in merit, but because it is not available. Ah, how the pulses thrill as we bound

over the lea, out across the wold, anon skimming the outskirts of the moor and going home with a stellated fracture of

and the false joys of the skating rink, mysteries, but these are the most importbut give me the maddening yelp of the pack in full cry as it chases the speckled two-year-old of the low-born rustic across the open and into the pound.

Let others sing of the zephyrs that fan the white sails of their swift-flying yacht, but give me a wild gallop at the hospital with a fractured rib, and I am proud and happy. All our family are that way. We are too proud ever to become slaves to habits of industry. We can labor or we

This shows our superiority as a race. CASH! We have been that way for hundreds of years. We could work in order to be sociable, but we would not allow it to sap the foundation of our whole being.

I write, therefore, to learn if possible where I can get a good red or gray fox that will come home nights. I had a fox last season for hunting purposes, but he did not give satisfaction. He was constantly getting into the pound. I do not want an animal of that kind. I want one that I shall always know where I can put my hand upon him when I want to

I do not care to vouch for the gait of a fox, whether he lopes, trots, or paces, so that his feet are sound and his wind good. I bought a light-red fox two years ago that had given perfect satisfaction the previous year, but when we got ready to hunt him he went lame in the off-hind hind foot and crawled under a hen-house back of my estate, where he remained till

What I want is a young, flealess fox of and yearn to be loved.

I would like, also, a tall red horse, with sawed-off tail; one that can jump a barbed-wire fence without mussing it up of the brain." with fragments of his rider. Any one who may have such a horse or pipless fox will do well to communicate with me in person or by letter, enclosing references. I may be found during the summer months on my estate, spread out under a tree, engaged in thought. E. FITZWILLIAM NYE.

Many attempts have been made to fix range of figures. The aurora has been earth's surface, and at other times has to be 200 or 300 miles high. In experipractical demonstrations of the effects of made by Dr. De la Rue. These forced him to the conclusion that thirty-eight miles is probably the hight at which the duced as high even as eighty-two miles,

discharge is possible. has been suggested.

SCIENTIFIC SCRAPS.

A French estimate is that a one-horse power engine would run 27,000,000

selves from parasites by standing over your valuable paper where he would an ant-hole and allowing the ants to des-Music has been found to exert a very

perceptible effect upon the respiration and circulation of animals as well as of In climates having a difference of 70

degrees in temperature between the hot and lish origin. Some of the best and blues is 338 yards longer in summer than in the cold seasons, a railway track 400 miles winter. Of course, the length of road re-There is no better blood extant. We love mains the same but expansion forces the length of metal closer together, making an aggregate closing up of space between the rails of nearly a yard in each mile. An electrograph of a young lady living

at Plainfield, N. J., is attracting the attention of two or three well-known electricians, who are said to be experimenting with a view to producing, if possible, similar effects. The image of the girl is contained on the center of a lacquered tin tray which was instantly fixed by a brill- for that purpose. iant flash of lightning one night last

anon in our family you will notice the called "the seven stars." Ordinarily only about half a million dollars. slender, triangular chest, the broad and six stars are visible to the naked eye, alhaughty sweep of abdomen, and the high, though the telescope shows a large num- is the printer, an Esquimau poet L. The Minnie Moore mine, Wood river intellectual expanse of pelvic bone, which ber of smaller ones in a group. But Moller, who edits an illustrated Esqui- has been sold to English parties for \$600,denotes the true English; proud, high- nearly thirty years before the discovery maux paper, published on the west coast | 000 cash. The original owners sold it for spirited, soaked full of calm disdain, of the telescope Moestlin mapped out of Greenland, 64 degrees north latitude. \$20,000, and hought they had done well. wearing checked trousers, and a soft, eleven stars and many have observed Miss Edith Kingdon, an actress of The hotel, depot and telegraph office flabby tourist's hat that has a bow at fourteen, while Prof. W. F. Denning, the Daly's company, was married to George at Black Diamond, King county, W. T., both ends, so that a man can not get too well-known English astronomer, claims J. Gould, eldest son of the one hundred were destroyed by fire on the 11th inst. occasion was able to see the fourteenth. son, last week.

in astronomical science. First, an ex- the hammer to his box. The twelve o'- day, the 1st and 2d of October, 1886. planation of the peculiar law by which clock whistle had blown. He was workthe sun's surface at the equator makes a | ing by the day.-[Itemizer. while a place half-way to the poles requires 271/4 days; second, an explanation of the occurrence of the spots in periods (each period or cycle being about eleven years), and of their distribution in the two zones lying between the tenth and thirteenth degree of latitude on each side of the equator; third, a determination of the variations in the amount to heat radiated at different times and at different points on the solar surface; fourth, a satisfactory explanation of the relations of the gases and other matters above the atmosphere, or visible surface, to the sun the dura mater through which the gas is itself—the problem of the corona and the prominence which appear to view during Let others rave over the dreamy waltz total eclipses. There are other interesting

It is better to know the truth, Dr. D. Spencer has observed, in reference to the phenomena of death, than to cherish belief, however pleasing it may be founded on error. The traditions and superstitions of the past have led to a popular belief in the theory that the beatific visions which often come to the dying are momentary views of those mysteries hitherto unknown; but science, with its iconoclastic hand, has swept away the pleasing fancy, and in its place has constructed a fabric founded on analogy. Anæsthetics and asphyxia from drowning or charcoal fumes often produce disordered fancies exactly like those preceding death, and the natural inferfrom one and the same cause. "During the last moments of life the mind gradually loses cognizance of external surround- Capt. James Jackson, who killed Col. attendants fall upon dull ears. The eye- 1861 be compelled to go to the pound and re- contracted and rolled upward and inward. ness, and then disappear in the swiftly in a flat bottle, and charged a round moving panorama. The familiar faces price for it. The buyer's remarks when of the friends of his youth are thrown he tested the dose are not reportable. upon the mental retina, their cheery voices reverberate in his ears, and the thought of meeting these friends in the near future is perhaps his last conscious impression. As this drowsiness creeps the dark-red or iron-gray variety, that I over the system, these images molded can depend upon as a good roadster; one from the past, become as realities to the that will come and eat out of my hand disordered imagination. The germs from which originate these strange combinations have probably been lying dormant for years in the registering gangila

### How to Curve a Ball,

flight through the air from the hand of twelve grains, making the whole weight took a pen-knife lying on the stand near with hat to match. the thrower technically known as the one pennyweight one grain. It is about by and plunged it in both sides of his Judge (rapping violently) Order in pitcher—is retarded in its forward mo- the size of a half grown collar button, neck. He is a man most highly respected the court! tion by the resistance of the air, which and is completely covered by a No. 5 or in that place and at last accounts his not only exerts a pressure on the face of a child's thimble. It will be run by com- chances for recovery were favorable. the hight of the aurora borealis, but the the ball, but also a resisting force on its pressed air. It makes 3000 revolutions estimates have given a discouragingly wide sides by friction. Now, if the ball is a minute. Mr. Hare has also made a simply thrown forward without any conparative giant, which is covered with special bias being given it, the friction of an English walnut shell. the air is equal on each side of it; but if The accomplished king of Spain, in yound the limits of the Oswego Iron Co.'s customed to such names as "Nyack-onappeared simultaneously at stations so it be made to rotate on its own axis from whose behalf the boast has been wittily lands, but when it is track laying will be the-Hudson" and "Manchester-by-theright to left or left to right, the conditions made that he can say "Goo" in three pushed vigorously. The Iron Company Sea," but a correspondent of a New York are at once materially changed, inasmuch languages, has had ordered for his royal ments with this powerful voltaic battery, as in the latter case one side of the ball's feet by the queen regent a wonderful surface is made to move forward through pair of shoes of white leather embroidered electrical discharges in rarefied air were the air with twice the rapidity of the with gold. According to an ancient and other side, and to the extent of this in- very pretty custom, the shoes of a Span- then loaded on the construction trains to creased lateral friction is the ball retard- ish prince must be blessed in order to be carried to the scene of operations. In ed in its progress on the side on which secure the divine protection for his earlmost brilliant auroras take place, that a the increased friction bears. The result jest steps; and this ceremony will be perpale and faint glow may possibly be pro- of this changed relation is naturally a formed before his infantine magesty, Alcurve in the line of its delivery in the di- fonso XIII., wears his new boots. The The editor of an angler's paper said: Cleveland on account of her brother. If but that at a hight of 124 miles no aurora rection of the side on which its progress pious ejaculation, "Bless my boots," will, "Our editorial self and our son killed she writes another novel he is lost. I has been retarded. This is the simple therefore, be entitled superfluous in this ninety-one weak fish in three hours and have never yet recovered from that thril-In coffee-growing countries an infusion philosophy of the curve of modern base- case when he comes to wear them. It is a half at Great Kills, N. Y." A "weak" ling love scene in her book where the of the leaves of the tree is held by many ball pitching. The application of the an interesting circumstance that queen fish can't be very hard to kill. When lover looks hard at the heroine for a to be superior to the infusion of the ber- theory in practice is to learn to give the Christiana, in ordering the shoes for her the editor and his son kills ninety-one moment and then says, passionately; ry. The probable value of the dried necessary bias or rotary motion to the baby, also ordered that 300 pairs of small strong fish sharks, for instance in three "Do you love me?" The heroine says, coffee-leaves as an article of commerce right or left, in order to produce the "in shoes be distributed, in the name of the and a half hours, it will be worth brag- firmly, "I do." "Then," replies the hero, curve" or the "out curve."

GENERAL NOTES AND NEWS.

Senator Sherman's house at Mansfield

Edwin Booth sent \$1,000 to an old friend in Charleston, whose home was destroyed by the earthquake.

Ohio, is the highest point in the State-1,300 feet above the sea level. ty is \$839,300. New York records show that property to the value of \$200,000,000 has changed

hands in that city since the first of the Fifty persons were poisoned at a wedding near Decatur, Illinois, by eating chicken salid that had been prepared in a

> The Mayflower won the race against the English sloop Galatea, which leaves the cup on this side of the waters for

ilar to that which caused the death of happy.

road from Port Moody to the terminus nounced a grand bilk. until legislation shall have been secured

Hoffman & Co., fancy dry goods importers, 19 Battery street, San Francisco, have made an assignment for the benefit may be found in the Pleadese, commonly of their creditors. Their liabilities are

The northernmost editor in the world

I know that here in democratic Amer- the stars with the naked eye, and on one dence, Lyndhurst, at Irvington-on-Hud- hotel kitchen. high-born love of the fox-chase, and the solar physics whose solution is urgent- hammer to strike a nail. Did he strike? at their grounds near Marquamsville,

> of the treasury portfolio on October 1st, in accordance with the expressed wish of the president, only to remain until after

manently retire from the cabinet. Capt. H. F. Beecher, in a card, denies absolutely the charge contained in a recent telegram from Washington that he is short in his accounts with the government. He asserts that his accounts are perfectly correct and that he has not been hiding out; that his whereabouts have been known to the officials at Washington ever since he left that city.

Mayor Courtenay, of Charleston, tele graphs Dr. Andrew Simonds, president of the First National bank of Charleston, at New York, that in order to shelter the homeless people before cold weather sets in, from \$500,000 to \$700,000 are immediately required. The mayor estimates the total damage to property by the earthquake at five to six millions. "Remarks by Bill Nye" is the title of

book, which, according to the author's prospectus, is now in the hay press and will soon be issued. Bill promises that his new book will be longer, wider and purer than all his other books united and will contain 600 pages of the thinks that he has thought, including a recipe for purifying the liver without removing it. Miss Amelia Jackson, of Alexandria, Va., has been appointed to the clerical

ings, and is raped in self-contemplation. Ellsworth, of the fire zonaves, when he Though in a semi-conscious condition, tore down the rebel flag from the Marthe weeping of friends and the voices of shall house in Alexandria on May 24. lids are closed, and the pupils slightly A citizen of Olneyville, R. L. bragged that he could get a drink on Sunday, and deem a fox, when a party is mounted and The dying man has forgotten the present, to prove it confidentially asked a doctor for he is living in the past. One by one for something to brace him up. The the events of a whole life appear, its joys doctor knew the man, and wrote a preand sorrows, perchance long since forgot- scription calling for aqua pura; the drugton, rise before him in startling distinct- gist saw the joke, and put up the water

> During a railroad excursion from Lafayette, Ind., to Dayton, O., the other stood in Indiana, and Mrs. Mary Hawkins cursionists formed a circle around the pair and gave them three cheers while in Salem .- [News.

The theory is as simple in its rules as it of an inch, and the stroke one-eight. The was very weak, but was not thought danis easy of demonstration practically. It wheel shaft and crank weigh eight grains, gerously ill. He was left alone for a is as follows: The ball, in its horizontal | the cylinder five and the stand and pillar | minute or so by his attendants, when he

NO.

STATE AND COAST.

Considerable real

hands at Albany.

The taxable property of Morrow coun-The Albany Bulletin is soon to be

printed all at home. Junction City, Lane county, will soon

have a flouring mill. The run of salmon at Alsea bay is said be the best for many years.

A petition favoring a Board of Trade is being circulated at Oregon City. About 125,000 bushels of wheat is stored in the warehouses of the Pendle-

ton flouring mills. The queen of Spain is suffering from a The Astoria firemen won seven out of pulmonary disease, which is making the eight prizes awarded at the tournaalarming progress. The affection is sim-| ment at Salem, and the boys went home

A fellow named Stinit, real estate agent It is stated that the Canadian Pacific at Newport, Benton county, is getting it railroad has decided not to complete the from the press generally, and is pro-On the 10th the 11-year-old son of Mr

and Mrs. J. M. Phy, living near the Cove, Union county, was accidentally killed by handling a loaded pistol. A sufficient amount has been sub-

scribed toward the Agricultural college at Corvallis to enable the building association to organize and elect officers.

that he can usually discern thirteen of millionaire, at Jay Gould's summer resi- Loss, \$5500. Cause, defective flue in the

Prof. Young names four problems in He was a carpenter. He had lifted his creek agricultural association will be held understand keeping Sunday on the double

complete revolution in about 25 days The World's Washington special says: Springs, Union county, Oregon, with at Spicer, Linn county, and Seepy There is little, if any, doubt that Secre- Adam Abasher as postmaster at the tary Manning will return to take charge former place, and C. Aikin at the latter. Clackamas county, threshed an average "100 doses for one \$1.-[Norristown of 40 bushels of grain, wheat and oats, Herald. the elections are over. Then he will per- off of 25 acres. The most of this land has been in constant use for the last 25

> Multnomah county, and her husband has the strong point of whom was grammar been appointed in her stead. She was |- Burdette employed as a teacher in the public schools of Portland and had to resign one position or the other. Prineville, the county seat of Crook

> county, has no school house, no school directors, no school district organization. will, he will he? Pull my ears! Well, But it has two newspapers, both of which you bet your sweet life he'll have his have battled for months to arouse the people to a sense of their situation. How long, oh Lord, how long.-[News. The Oregon W. C. T. U. has made ar-

rangements through its state president, Mrs. A. R. Riggs, with Mr. Charlton for \$65 with the privilege of staying ninety their Eastern friends and take in the National W. C. T. U. convention, to be-Weston Leader: A young man from Pilot Rock was on the streets Wednesday

robbed of \$11 the night before, while asleep and slightly under the influence position in the patent office at Washington. Miss Jackson is the daughter of the eve of getting married, and that was On the 11th inst., while J. H. Hubbard, of Spokane Falls, W. T., and F. Aiken were bringing a man named Paine from

Young Paine also killed Hubbard, and then made his escape. At last accounts his escape. One of the horses was also killed and the others badly wounded. Frank C. Baker, State Printer elect, has just purchased an outfit with which to do the State printing. It includes a large amount of Johnson's celebrated type and day, the train was stopped as it crossed a \$2,500 Hoe jobber. This is a splendid

the state line, and David Clark, alighting, press and will print a sheet 331/2x49. The plant will be so complete that Mr. Baker stood in Ohio, and a minister who was will be able to do all the State work present, straddled the line and married without going outside his office. He will them; and then the eight hundred ex- be the first State Printer that has been able to do this. The office will be located von ever appeared as witness in a suit be-F. O. Richards, principal of the Pen-The smallest oscillating engine in the dleton schools, attempted to commit suiworld has been made by John R. Hare, cide week before last. Mr. Richards has of Baltimore. Its bore is one-sixteenth been suffering with typhoid fever and

> Track on the Portland and Willamette Valley Railroad is laid from Elk Rock to Springbrook, a distance of four miles. The line has not yet been constructed be- fuse. We have become pretty well acprohibited the railroad company from paper improves on both by dating his letcutting ties on their lands, and the ties ter from "Sunny-Cliff-on-the-Palisades." used so far have been brought from Ore- Pretty soon we shall hear of "Newburggon City to Elk Rock by steamer and on the River-left-hand-side-going-down.

king, among the poor children of Madrid, ging about.—(Norristown Herald.

ASHLAND TIDINGS

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## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Law'n order: "Keep off the grass?" A man may read the signs of the times on the roadside fences.- Burlington

A girl who wears too much powder on her race now-a-day is called a "chromo." San Bernardino Register.

It is a Hebrew clothier who has transposed the celebrated saying to read: "If at first you don't succeed, fail, fail again.'

-[Pluck. The New York Mail is responsible for the assertion that Philadelphia no longer reads its title clear. Charleston has be-

come the Quaker city. A young lady fell out of a sixth-story window in San Francisco the other day and escaped injury. She alighted on the

soft head of a dude.- Yreka Union. A little girl of 6 to one of ber compar ions-"How old is your grandma that you are always talking about?" Ninety years." "Oh-how big she must be."-

"I think Mr. Fangle imagines he is Grand Juror," remarked a South-Side grocer to McSwilligan.

"Why so?" asked McS. "Because he has such a habit of ignor ing bills. He's owed me \$50 for more

"Hello, Brown! I see you and Miss Jones are not so intimate as formerly.' "No. She is a nice girl, but she affected me like ague?" "Affected you like ague? How was that?" "She shook me?"-{New York Sun.

Now there's Mrs. Cleveland galvanting

around the country when she should be at home putting up fruit. It's going to be a hard winter and we'll bet she hasn't even.put up a bottle of tomato catsup. - Yreka Union. "What a barkeeper, eh?" "Yes, sir."

entry system." "Very well. Hang up your hat."-(Philadelphia Call. The complaint in some quarters about hard times and the exhorbitant prices charged for the necessiaries of life is all Mr. George Graham, of Beaver creek, A patent medicine man advertises

"Who held up Moses' hands while Joshua fought the Philistines?" asked the superintendent. "Hur and Aaron," Mrs. Alice Clauson Gove has resigned shouted the good boy. "She and Aaron," her office of school superintendent of softly corrected the new schoolma'am

> Brown-What's the matter with you and Robinson, Dumley? I hear that he has threatened to pull your ears the first Dumley (jumping up and down)-He

Young Candid: Did you ever bear such horribly discordant, ear-splitting Old Proudfut: Sir-r-! That's my eld-

est daughter, and-Young Candid: I repeat, sir, such infernal clatter as the idiots behind us are making. Why, I can't hear a word of the song.-Tid-Bits. man, addressing an old gentleman who

den to me." "A burden to you? How so sir?" "He married my daughter."-"I can't take this Canadian 10-cent 'Why not?" Because there's smallpox in Montreal. Some of you fellows never seem to read the papers." You'r safe enough," answered the passenger. "Don't

you see it's got a hole in it? That's

where it's been vaccinated. Texas Sift-"There has been an awful bustle here this afternoon," said Spicer to Mrs. Spi after an afternoon drive. "I know it," remarked the lady viciously. "It made me look like a camel and I sent it back to the clumsy woman who made it. Now what are you grinning at, Seth?" But Spicer hustled out of the room without vouchsafing an explanation.- [Boston

Commercial Bulletin Lawyer (to timid young woman)-Have

Young woman (blushing)-Y-yes, sir, Lawyer-Please state to the jury just Young woman (with more confidence)

-It was nun's veiling, shirred down the

## Detroit Free Press

Nomenclature in this country is becoming more and more exact, not to say dif-

#### Mrs. Cleveland's Love Scene. [Brooklyn Eagle.]

I haven't said anything about Miss