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Western women are not only worthy but able to obtain public recognition and to hold public office with credit to constituency. Miss Rose R. Turner has been nominated superintendent of pub-He instruction by the democrats of Spokane county, Washington, and Miss Anna Connor was elected treasurer of Shoshone county, Idaho. Pacific county. Wash., has had a lady school superintendent for years.

Both sides profess themselves satisfied with the award of the anthracite coal strike commission. Perhaps this is because they feel that justice has been done, and perhaps it is because they both realize that the public would have precious little sympathy with any kicking about the decisions of this tribunal.-P.-I.

A 25-story building is to be erected in New York, 100 feet square, and on land worth \$100 a square foot, or \$1. 000 000 for 100 square feet. The building, 325 feet high, will cost only \$1,400,-000, only 40 percent more than the land. Offices are expected to rent for \$2 a. square foot-\$500 for a room 20 feet square.

Secretary Cortelyou is one of the few remaning men in public life who affect the nomnadour style of brushing the hair. Fifteen or 18 years ago it padour craze. Probably it has been factory. I procured a box of them at counteracted to some extent by the advent of the football style

Fifteen thousand colonists are coming over from Great Britain and will settle somewhere in the northwest of the dominion. They will bring with them ther clergymen, school teachers, editors and physicians and will form a com-

A parliamentary return just issued shows that 40,401 persons emigrated from Ireland in 1902. Of these 35,472 went to the colonies and foreign coun- gist. tries. Since 1851 4,000,000 persons have emigrated from Ireland.

"Buffalo Bill" has sent a warning to President Roosevelt that unless the sheep are kept out of the mountains there will not be enough water for ir- ter collapse unless a reliable remedy rigation purposes in five years. They kill the underbrush.

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A physician declares that people who sleep with their mouths closed live the longest. To this might be added that if they kept them shut while awake they will live more comfortably.

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