The Athenians dine into the year round and, whenever the weather will permit, in the open air. As the beated season advances the dinner hour is set later and later until in August 9:30 or 10 becomes the common thing. Fancy going to the theater after that! the open air performances are liberally patronized, and they do not begin, of course, until after dinner. The legend "Curtain rises promptly at 9" snare and a delusion, as many a foreigner has found, to his extreme annoyance.

The out of door dining and the sky than tencents a meal, composed chiefly roofed theaters are so typically Greek that they serve as a link between mod ern and classical times. The old Greek as everybody knows, was an outdoor man, his house serving as little more than a sleeping place and storeroom The Athenian of today dines in a garden, on his terrace or in a park. If he is too poor to possess any of these accessories, he sets his table upon the sidewalk. Many of the cheap restaurants appropriate the walks for dining rooms. One is often compelled when taking an evening stroll to dodge in and out among dozens of tables covered with reasonably clean linen and lighted by means of camilles, whose flames are protected from the wind by means of glass globes. - Scribner's.

Doctors' "Cat Naps."

The "cat naps" indulged in by the late Dr. William Pepper constituted a standing foke among his intimate friends. He had the faculty of going to sleep at will and waking up when he willed. He would sometimes when under a mental strain keep a roomful of health and was allowed to finish his patients waiting while he slept soundly In his private office for three minutes or five minutes, or as long as he wished. Then he would resume his duties, greatly refreshed.

Another prominent physician has a queer habit of napping, although he only takes one a day and that directly after luncheon, which with him is a hearty meaf. He repairs to his office and throws himself in a chair at a point where the polished wood floor is not covered by the rug. He holds a bunch of keys between the forefinger and thumb of his right hand, which b allowed to hang loosely over the arm of the chair. Then he dozes off, but it is never more than a doze, for the moment his fingers relax the keys drop to the bare floor, acting as an alarm clock. It is searcely a nap-just a brief relaxation of the mental and bodily faculties. The doctor calls it his siesta and if he misses it he says he doesn't feel quite himself for the rest of the day.-Philadelphia Record.

And Yet He Could Write.

Among the public servants who are worried by foolish questions the super-Intendent of mails in the postoffice gets his full share. One of his visitors on a certain occasion was a man who said to the deputy who answered the call at the window:

"I am going out of town today and want to get a letter to my brother, who is on board the Majestic, and she is not due until Wednesday. I don't know where he will stay in New York or where he will go from here. Can

"Certainty we can," said the clerk. "A mailboat goes to meet the steamer, and if you address your letter properly and put domestic postage on it it will

be delivered all right."

shall I send HY! on board theoming steamer

"No city? No nothing?" "That's all-just as I told you."

The man thanked the clerk and went away, and came back a little later with an addressed letter in his band. "Say," he said to the clerk, "about

that?"-New York Tribune. One Way of Getting Even.

employed in a large Market street establishment recently. "He got into nearly everybody in the place before have to eat the bread that sustains me tone of living among the poors. As-ses ing. He has owed me \$2 for nearly a year, but I'm nearly square although he has never paid me a permy of it. That sounds queer, but it is the truth, be did. I can't understand what has I'll tell you how I've worked it.

"Every once in awhile one of the feltows wift say. The going to make Soand so give me what he owes me next pay day or know the reason why That's my chance, and I casually remark, Till bet you a quarter you don't get it.' Usually the fellow takes me up, and when pay day comes he loses his bet, for Sound so never pays. It small bets of quarters and dimes, funcheous and cigars I have nearly got back the amount I originally loaned to

A Case Lincoln Would Not Take.

All clients knew that, with rolld Abe" as their lawyer, they would wintheir case-if it was fair; if not, that it After listening some time one day to a eyes on the ceiling, he swung suddenly the materials for the handsomest oneround in his chair and exclaimed

Well, you have a pretty good case to technical law, but a pretty taid one in equity and justice. You'll have to get some other fellow to win this case for you. I couldn't do it. All the time, say it out loud." Success.

New Incomnta Cure. Brown-Say, I've been trying the finthat he exhales while tying in hed

Smith-Ah! Then you go to sleep. Brown-No, but after a little while a fellow gets rather interested in the pretty gold and silver links. However, work, and the night passes away so it is only a hal, and a return to your quickly that he doesn't mind lying still golden links is only a question of time. the market gives supplyment to more so long.-Brooklyn Life.

"He was in the legislature two -Atlanta Constitution.

Polly Larkin.

ecount of too much work and too little working to secure a degree of doctor of digsies in mathematics and has frea the meantime living at a cost of less of somps, hot water and graham bread. He was observed by the professors to be breaking down, and an investigation followed which resulted in the ediet that Sterner must quit. The young man, who deserves all the credits in the world for his ambition and his determination to succeed in spite of all difficulties, one of the worst of which was practically starvation, is brokenhearted over the result of the investigation. It looks to Polly that these professors who have sounded the deathknell to all the hopes of this young man, should admire so rare a trait in him to the extent that rather than see him leave the institution they would endeavor to arouse the interest of some philanthropic person in the young man's behalf, and they would give him the assistance that he requires and which they would never miss, to pursue his studies. They surely would never be disappointed in him if he kept his studies. The young rean has proved that he present determination and sterling qualities that go to make the uccessful and reliable business man. He has set his heart on going through. back for something he cannot help, but let some person with more money than he knows what to do with prove his benefactor by giving him the wherewithal to g. through the university un-

with the understanding that when be

is able he will pay it back with interest.

This he would no doubt be able to do

and it would be no set of charity:

If Polly had money these are the women get to the milestone that I ought to be a law to put them out of the way and let them enter percefully and quetly the last long -beep that ws no awakening. I consider snielde a crime for any same man to comnit, and I would not lare do it, but if a law was made compelling as when we! "But how shall I address it-where get beyond the age that our work counts "Address it John Smith, passenger cred-old and children and out and out name isn't John Smith. How about turned to give him my opinion on a subaffed me an old fool and a back manat his table. He'll feel relieved when of the city. I'm gone. He used to be the best of boys, and I was proud of anything that.

the chronic borrower." - Philadelabia mind reversa to the spring attire of our most important of which have only shirt-waist, that if frish always makes cost of foreign coal. the wearer look as neat as a new pinwill be more popular than ever, I inc. The largest carpet in the world is agine, for the styles are as dainty. Windsor-Castle It is to feel in breadth was a waste of time to take it to him profity and as classrate as you can des and contains as section studies. The of me will be a witness it. United York which some that in 1845 at sire. Laces, ticks, embroidery and the weaving of it occupied twenty-eight Australia. would be client's statement, with his finest of malls, India lawns, etc., form men fourteen results. will fell you is the "swelfest thing out" ada, 50,000. Analysisa, 40,000. for shirt-waists. The percules, dainty while standing talking to that jury, I'd dimities and delicately colored time be thinking. "Lincoln, you're a har," and ginghams are all in vogue for ordinary. Order of St. Benedict, love that of St. I believe I should forget myself and wear. But the style of the shirt-wasts. Flames, and i to that of St. Dominio vary from previous seasons, especially in regard to the outs. They no longer have the deep stiff out, but little short est cure for insomnia that I ever heard cutfs, which amount to only a wide of, It is for one to count each breath band and are fastened with modest little-pearl buttons and button holes, doing away for the prescut with your

"Off with your hats." In other words, many of the new spring hats. Hydrophoton rurely shows till 60 days years," reads a notice of a departed will not be tilted overyour flose to any after the victim has been better citizen: "came within an ace of going to congress, held a government office extent, but worn decidedly back from five years and finally died a Christian." the face, showing your frank open com-

turian shape that tilts to one side of the head in the same coquettish way that the turbans have been worn all winter. although Polly must confees that Insome instances it is decidely overdone and causes one uncasiness for fear the wenter is going to less her hat. They The Harvard I niversity familty has are not a bit uneasy, however, for they equired Ira Isbon Sterner of Keller's know the value of good, strong hat plus Church, Pa., to leave the university on and pin their faith to them. The wise heads among the fair sex are not buyood. Sterner, who is a second year ing their spring millinery just now, nan in the graduates' school, has been though, in spite of the allurements, and quently studied all day and all night, Easter tide, when everybody is supdows but are waiting patiently for the posed to emerge forth from the quick of from the chrysalis.

Speaking of habithat are to be worn the full glare of the sun. Polly has been nedicing for a long time that more women have those ugly little creases between the eyes then men. Others have noticed and asked "Why?" with right a big interrogation point after the question. It is simple enough. Men proteel their eyes in a way from the awful glace of the sun, from the payementand buildings, by wearing hats that have being enough to profeed them to a way, while ladies insist on following the style and wear their bats tilted back, and forming no protection whatever, and, as a point-liment, must wear the ugly little squint or wrinkle be-I ween the eye-

BRIEF REVIEW.

New Species of X-Rays Discovered.

Experiments with a new process onnewbat similar to the eclebrated Boentgen, or X-rays, are being con ducted in great werrecy at a Berlin. In Take away his chances of pursuing his stitute, according to a communication studies and it may result in everlasting received at the State Department from failure to him in everything he may Consultion rat Guenther at Frankfort, undertake. He stands in the line of Liermany. The new species of rays are advancement. Then don't put him called Bacqueral cays, after their discoverer, a French chemist, who first put his discovery before the public in 1895. In the furor which the Roentgen rays created in the medical world these Bacqueral rays were lost sight of: hampered by poverty and hunger and The experiments are said to have the closed the fact that an entirely new element is responsible for the Bacqueral. rays and that they reader almost every I insparent substance luminous in The larkness. Consul-General Guenther says that the new rays make it possible kind of people I would help-struggling to tell genuine diamonds from artificial students, helpless little children and ones in the dark, which fact would Marmor to Ashley to see aged people whose livecure almost run prove of great practical importance in and who feel that there is no place for testing. The experiments, it is stated, them in God's foot-tool and that they also have demonstrated that rays count are only incumbrances. Heaven belp ating from a larger quantity of the them when that time comes. An old new elements make the air such a congentleman who has lived his three-score ductor of electricity, as to promise that cears and ten said the other day the property can be utilized in wireless Polly, I think that when men and relegraphy. The results of the experi ments, it is stated, will be hild before have reached in life's journey, there Emperor William, "which" says the Consul-General, "seems to indicate that the discovery is regarded as one of great

How a City Amoust Its People.

For ten copecks: I cents: isserything that Praga Park, in Warsaw, affords is yours. There are openede thealres, for anything, and whoir we are conside Punch and Judy and other side shows. outdoor attractions, such as walks, each manners, to respond to the death-groves, fountains, beating of every condue in New York, Dog. 12. That will call and let it be an easy and quick servable kind, in cry governing, switness voyage over the river Styx, it would be dancing pavilions, burch counters, a good thing, and a great many of us athletic courts, soft danks but took at old fellows would be ready for the bout- drop of alcohol in any form whate serman pale when he came for exame he For the very little ones there are inches would not bave to beckur more thus sures where they make and piece play mee. Do you know what my sen said games of all kinds, learn to sing populthat letter. Eve addressed it and forms the other day? It has been ranke far and folk some, train themselves stamped it all right, but the man's ling in my heart ever since. I vew physically under the direction of a graduated kindergarten. The older ject that was under discussion, and by boys have races and other affile is contests. Prizes are given for good deposi-"There is a fellow in our office who is our and asked what I knew about it, ment and profesency in the games. In a chronic borrower," said a young man. He said I was in my delage and I had less than two years, the authorities can better go off and die. What do you this park has already accomplished an better go off and die. What do you this park has already accomplished an an episorunity gross of experiment other sale of this gave a little scream think of that? Pretty hard, isn't it, to appreciable amount in electring the has been fried by which me waters will must said. Why, you musty old man,

Vast Coal Fields to India.

changed him so. I wasctalking to some then Express says that cost is found in A Calcutta come-possibut of the Lonof my old triends the other day, and I abundance over very extensive acrossic and that I amend the only fellow that Bengal, in Hyderahad Docant in feels be is in the way, and is waiting Poper Assam, the central provinces patiently to be guthered to his long and elsewhere, and there is one rich rest. Wish I had gone before I knew coal field 1000 miles in execut which my boy hast changed so, but I suppose these as yet scatterly been founded. Even following remarkable prophecy: W. u-Indian contains yet render to the em-The spring is putting on us new attire pine as the enormous set, also it will of lands and blassams and naturally my give to Indian indistrics, beary of the own fair sex. That ever comfortable languished in the past because of the

Their there is a new material for shirt. Eight hundred and thily thousand golden age of fox hunting is over waists made of linen and silk in striped imiles of telegraph wires are in use in Homads, here is and funtismen wisand plain effects that the merchants the world. England has have care probably mover better than they are

Fortx-one Popes have belonged to the

schools in the United States, with the \$40,000 teachers and 5,000,000 papers. The United States has a lower percentage of blind people than any other

country in the world.

than 1000 Parishans

tenance, or else, if tilted at all, it is the carrier pigeous are used.

THE PRESIDENT AT PLAY

You should have seen the president at play a few weeks are. It was a very pretty sight, Little Leonora P., a child of 5 or 6, came one day to the there are many of the milliner's win-dows but are waiting patiently for the the Lenten senson, like the butterfly ident and Mrs. McKinley received the his suggesty and affection and his invaseck on the head, exposing the face to McKinley, observing the years of the has passed, and days of lattle through which he had glare of the sun, Polly has been old black mannay, bressed her to sit. But I am no actist and can only say down and the cult, two, but Leanura he is a Confederate gray. I purchased said admonishingly to her nurse in an him in the mountains of Virginia in the

"Why, Leonora," soid Mrs. McKinley, much animal, "mammy's an old mun, And you sit down yourself." "Oh, yes'm," returned the child

gravely. "But, then I'm people This reply nearly bowled the prodent over, and he and Mrs. McKinb smiled broadly. Then Mrs. McKinley took out her watch, which contail portrait of the president. She he'd it cylanticaccibins but no

"Leonoga you cannot tell me whom this is a picture."

Leonora drew near and sommed the open watch. A bright book swept over

Strick vestmi. Eknow-who it iso' Will was solt, Lannors !"

This was atogether to a new h for the president. The went of into a fit of invasion long and lond. There is no

His Circl Railway Ride.

An old min who has been a furmer for 57 years in Missions mys. "When wooshen place out wheat and outs wit a release and threndard them out by the transpling process, our the mendow with a scythe and used a weeden teach har- to Frank healte's Mouthly. row. Much of the wheat and corn I rated was on in hy deer, turkeys and prairie chickens. It was no ancommos fight to see its many as 20 door in hord. Just think of the luncy from ex terms to a railroad! I remember flist trip on the cars. It was in 1876 I think. My wife and I drove from friends: When at Curry-II a see con childed to take a trip up into Andrain tining started and we were moving over he prairie the experience was so pleas hig and novel that I couldn't belthinking of the wonderful ag . It follows so good to be wheeling through spe that we remained about built seathed Mexico, the county seat of Au frafu comoy: It was wonderful to go that for and back in a day?

Lake Stargeon Becoming Searce. Impactor Of B. Shappard of the Ca

thing is done to prevent it sto Lake Hilloughal Gooman bay district. In the northern part of the district of poculity in Lake Noroscur and track ful, but they are be the amplified 70,000 people of curino in the sense As the me is the past of the Est that be of the most value, and it is brising just before sp. aming the stimment bus him was a woman wearing a muchin no chance to reproduce their and the end must shortly some. Mr. Shoppard and F streets. General Wheeler no

The Paris Fountains.

most interesting fertiles of the setbe the luminous. A seri of golden vel | you gave that woman my underella! low still alone be employed, but the Then who appealed to the conductor writers will assume the appearance of theorem Wheeler applicated; but the entered is of time ads and reputes. The woman said. Now, you just get right effect will be accused by means of off the enclosing of it for the, or Fill ofertise lights and colors) glasses placed overly the point. Meekly the veterar ed around the basics in such a way turnbod of into the rain and ran aft that the beauty of the fountains will be the scores with the amekintosh net be discinished when seen by day the made a merced explanation, got

Thiers' Fullitied Prophecy. to January, 1871, M. Thiers made the pardon me madain. I assure you it more important than the and which ever Highard will confirm with a reough power Engage will see for robines, she smilled it then't believe you are cally maken perate with her. Without any belief rical year chair to be."-St be slighted expense to her they will Pain Disputch entity their soldiers, tacks outs make with her and to demonstrate that the arresign and correst are at her green salt first as her remarkers are at theirs. As the ago and using for the head of a product this in spike of your smale of the firm. He introduced although as the incredulty and although perhaps whe learner of the school a northern New Star

It would be parless to dony that the the nittee New reflects have turned some of the faces; districts of England title the interest of a gridlern. When verywhere being more generally in-At present there are HUAN Smalay way before the increased culture of pleasants for shooting. Edinburgh

> Eastern system do not reproduc-well in the colder waters of Orege and Washington. An arrempt is to be rade, therefore, to accilimate there itfine large system of morthern Japan.

At an experiment in St. Joseph. Mo. a cat was apparently killed by a shack of electricity conefully administered Two hours after the heart had convedto best the current was reversed, and

NEW SHORT STORIES.

Robert E. Lee and His Pavorite Burne-General Wheeler's Misinke-Armour Didn't Porget.

If I were no arrist like you, I would White House to see Mrs. McKinley, draw a true picture of Traveler, repre-Leonora arrived all starched and frill senting his time proportions, muscular ed and with her hest and primmest figure, deep chest and short back, manners to the fore. Her old black strong munches, flat legs, small head, mammy nurse was with bor, and it broad forehead, delicate ears, quick was evident that beners had been in structed to be very politic and not to be the sery politic and not to be the series of the ser trees of the White House culess press of too, hunger, thirst, heat, cold and ed to do so and, alove all, to move: the dangers and sufferings through all questions promptly. Both the press which he pressed. He could dilate upon child. They and all they could to make rimble response to every wish of his her feel at home, but Leenora was even lider. He might even imagine his dently a good deal awed. At last Mrs. Thoughts through the long night march-

undertone and habing herealf bolt up autumn of 1861, and he has been my patient follower over since to Georgie "No. mammy. Servants must use the Cazolinas and back to Virginia. He carried no through the Seven Days' buck to God's country. An Armenian barrie around Richmond, the second who had reposed in utter comfort in burg, the last day at Chancellorsville, to Pennsylvania, at Gettysburg and the Persians, probably. Incidentally back to the Rappaliannock. From the the Persian reciprocates. Harbor and neroes the Janes river. He is this was in almost daily requisition in the fenses from the Chickshominy, north anger of Richmond, to Harcher's Run, south "An of the Appointtox. In the campaign ed invisible in a coud to the earth, of 1865 he bore me from Potersburg to and the first place at which they ar the final days at Apponiation Court rived was Prance-that is, in Feren House. You must know the comfort ghistan. And there they saw the railhe is to me in my present retirement, He is well supplied with equipments, Two sets have been sent to him from And Alinh looked in disappointment England, one from the ladies of Baltimore, and the was made for him in world which I made, I made note of Blehmand. But I mank his favorite is these things." American saddle from St. Louis, Of all his companious in tol. Bidle that is, England and there were mend, Brown Bone, Ajax and quiet mighty ships in the harbors and Buge Lucy Long-tie is the only one that refained his vic. r. The first two ex- and food in planty. And again Allah

General Wheeler's Mistake.

At Washington one day not long cars, were crowded with pussengers was General Joe Wheeler, Next to



THE MADE A RUTHLERD EXPLANATION. took who row to get at at Fourteenth strong indvises dinsua measures of fixed an univella teating against the protection for the n-h for a few years | our sent. He grabbed the umbrella and our after the woman, caught her at the slow and said. "Pandon no The formulancer Paris are among the burshing but you left your umbrella. and the nutherities are careful to in the nucleotia General Wheeler resum the state. Then a woman on the

Meetels the veteran the unibrella and emsked back to the wanting our. As he handed it back to its namer be said: "I trust you will ed as him. "I dea't knew about that,

Mr. Armour Didn't Forget.

invising man strolled in: to the fate D. D. Armour - order a row that some people are willing to pay tended. The venerable old gentleman was medined to be obsequence.

Armour did not warm up. Instead of that he asked the old man whether be remembered that he had expelled a say since for taking an innocent ride with a good tooking gurl econolimate, bunchering the boy so much that he had run dway to Callfornia when the true averland had to he made in a l

The old pedagogue triol to explain. Armount said he did not want any explanation, but he was completed an Inun not to profess ribudelin for a turn who had treated him as nounty as-Char when a boy.

A Change.

"Do you think people in the next-count will follow the same scenpaname they do here?" asked the possible No." and the same board bevery-

looks will attend to lie wen turstness. there. Syracuse Standay

Sunday consultations at the Paris' hospitals were not well arrended by the giri con a down and play with mey" the second shock restored the heart working classes, the workingman prebears, family at first, but growing ferring to lose a day's work rather than is in no condition to play " stronger until the cat was finally to a few of his hours of blichess on Sun day.

on E.

Through many, many summers

I look, as through a glass,
And see a world of showers and flowers
And laughing children pass,
And in her hig him sumbannet
One other little lass.

A lass into watched the swallows A law who have the hand skim has been been been been and speak of hard three tanned And she have been fairy folk in using to fairy laid.

In her warm fist she carried,
Treduced war hills and dales,
In this papers half and weighed
As it in his selections
The eart that can be bebuinks
When against in a their sails.

A little Los and wintful, Wise gazed up the far sky, Asia reached for tarry things and wings to cent and semidered why. Por httle last, I conder still, Could age to really I?

Could not be really I? -Harriet Pre-out Spofford in Collier's

ALLAH AND AMERICA. Persian Legend About the Crea tor's Visit to Earth.

In Persia, on a morning after the vermin had been particularly vigorous, I said semetaing caustic about getting Manassas, at Sharpeburg, Prodericks, the same caravansary heard it and smiled. Being an Armenian, he hated

commencement of the campaign in Well, this Armenian, rubbing his 1861 at Orange till its close around beterslorg the saddle was scarcely off on one side, said: The Perslans have a lais buck, as he passed through the fire legend for everything. They have a of the Wildern as, Spartsylvania, Cold Legend for what you said Just now. It

"Aliah that is God once said to his winter of 18645 on the long line of de angel. I will see this world which I

"And so Allah and the angel descendroads, and the transany , and the theaters, and the great pletice galleries, and said: Also not This is not the

"So they journeyed to Inglezistanmills which make all sorts of things pired under their escenas burdens, and said: Ajas, no: This is not the world the last two falled. Bobert E. Lee, Jr., which I made. And everywhere they traveled in the cloud Allah looked upon the hard and sand. No; this is not it.

"At last, in despair, the angel led the way to Persia, and Allah sat himself down upo, a very high mountain, and looking far on every side, he saw nel more or less bedraggied. Amour them ther railroads nor transways nor then ters nor picture galleries nor ships nor mills nor schooliouses nor plenty to

"And Allah suid "Yes, at last. This is the world which I made. Not a thing is changed. The people whom I put there i we done nothing "Why didn't be come to America?" I

asked: "Sig," amsweped the Armenian, "in Persia they had not even heard of America." Trasper's Weekly.

An Old New Jersey Schoolhouse,

The pupil of today would think biopportunities very great if he could see the school equipment of a hundred penrengo. A Morris county (N. J.) school of that period is thus described is an old letter of one of its attendants: The building was constructed of logs: and instead of glass for windows, shoepskins iver stretched over the apertures made by sawing off an occasional log. The windows had one wing I berrupted in their study by still stands. while was going on outside. The time was traduced by an bourglass, and ic pupils drank water from a turnblor made of a cow's horn or frem a

In spite of these differences of equipment the schools of a century ago re sembled those of today In one notable ed to:43,000 report-they had for the most part the same great literary works that are the standards of our language use The greatest Interacture is fortunated the processing of many centuries.

And us a Hule.

the had been trying all evening to nurse a good impression. He had told ill his hunorous stories and find given no impossioned speech from "Cy a. but was still imconscious. Thouse almost he fished to perceive all her florts to get sal of film. Finally the ras it deep silcuce. Fidgeting, grew here is and cast about for some

"The you wear that sort of collar as a he stanmered foolishly, No. the hangley mind replied frig-

Then be fled - New York Times.

Her Opinion of Compliments. "No." said Miss Cayenne, "I don't

Rut it shows an annuble disposi-"Perhaps, but the habit reminds me

only what costs them nothing and what they don't really news "- Washington

Seen at the Wrong Time.

Employer Mr Reduce you got off yesterday aftermost under the plea of being ill I saw you afterward going good. to the races, and you didn't appear to Clerk-Yes might in have seen me

after the second race, sir. I was had mough then "TR-Rits."

It is fully to attempt to please everyably. It matters not in which direcon a man faces he must of necessity aris his burn on half the world.-Chi-

The strongth of wood increases with De detroity.

texactation of ideas.

The 3-year old sen of a flat dweller, who had heard his father complain oc ensionally because the juntor was drunk and "in no condition to attend to his work. "cent to the flat above his own last week and rang the bell When Mrs. Blank answered it, the young num said.

"Not today" said Mrs Blank; "she

auxiousiv. Is she drunky

FACTS IN A FEW LINES

A new ordinance in Scattle, Wa problibits side entrances to saloons Pickled pigs' heads are sent by Denver to Ireland as the food of a poorer classes.

Arrests in Cleveland last year in bered 19,023 as compared with the

in 1800 and 14,452 in 1898, In southern France, where beer on 20 cents and milk 15 cents a que new wine has been lately on sale lay limited quantities at 2 cents a quan

Arizona newspapers declare that is antelope and mountain sheep will so in exterminated there unless impe ate steps are taken for their prese

The legal rate of interest in Canal is now 5 per cent, the reduction from per cent having been made by a sigute of the Dominion which went a effect Jan. 1.

California's presidential electors on their vote in the largest hall in &p. ramento in the presence of an is mense assemblinge, including the pupa of the public schools, Cotton has ranged in price fra

\$1.90 a pound during the war to let than 5 cents a pound in 1808. In a last two and a half years it has rise from 5 cents to 12.75 cents. In the present house of represent tives of the Japan diet there are in

farmers, 23 barristers, 12 officials r merchants, 6 newspaper editors, 3 de tors and 70 members without fixed pro fessions. The average cost of land in souther Germany suitable for tobacco culture) \$127.50 a Hessian morgen, which

equal to three-quarters of an America acre. The total cost of production a \$35.55 a morgen. Coal is the latest discovery in Your It has been found in unlimited quanties, and the great trading companie are supplying it at reasonable rule.

The chief deposits are in Rock Cross only 20 miles from Dawson City, The official report shows that during 1900 the number of pilgrims to Louris was cos,oot, among whom were cardinals and 30 archbishops and bas ops. Of water from the grotte loos bottles were dispatched to all quarter of the globe.

The servants in some of the bet places in Shanghal club together ast pay a cook to provide and preparether focal for them at a cost of \$2.50 Mer. lean a month, or about \$1.25 a month in gold, or a fraction over 4 cents a der During 1809 the total value of mula-

exported to all foreign countries un-

\$510,000, while during 1900 the figure reached \$5,019,000. Memphis used to be the great distributing point for mules, but Louisville has recently taien precedence. At a small village near Namur a discovery has been made of 960 pless of Roman money in a perfect state of preservation belonging to the third mi

fourth centuries and bearing effigies of no fewer than 15 different emperors and empresses Autograph letters of famous men will be far carer in the future than new Great men of today content themselves with sharing their names, often with rubber stamps, to typewritten domments, and it will be hard to get much

sentiment from typewritten many seripts. The ancient Spanish mission of Sa Ruemaventura was established in Calfortila in 1782. The mission books show that in 55 years the monks of San Buenaventura had brought hadde the fold 3.876 Indians. The fine stone structure of the mission built in 188

In consequence of emigration there is a greater preponderance of women in Norway than in almost any other country in Europe. The census of 1891 showed that there was an excess of wemen over men of almost 70,000. while in 1876 this excess only amount

The government has created some large forest reserves in northern Art zona and promulgated rules for their regulation with a view to prevent their spoliation and to preserve them from tire. The principal lumber mills of Arizona are situated at Flagstaff and Williams, in Coconino county.

Street trees, properly planted and ared for, work a remarkable change is the value of residential property. Any one with doubts on this subject should look into the history of Washington Mintempolis, Milwaukee, Buffalo and other cities where a comprehensive system of street planting has been carried into effect.

The bank notes issued by the Verterbettens Enskilka bank of Sweden and other private banks must be presecond for payment within one year or they will be forfeited. Swedish banks have hitherto issued bank notes as general errorey, but now a law has been are for people who continually pay have I which gives the national of state tank this privilege alone, as is the same in Denmirks

The matter of a book which has said well has adopted a novel scheme for obsertising it. He has had a large quantity of excellent Egyptian cigarettes made, and on the wrapper of each in gold letters is sumped the to us of his book. He has sent packages of these eignrettes to his friends with the request that they scatter them where they will do the most

The official fing of the Pan-Amerian exposition at Buffalo was selected from 200 designs and is the production of Miss Adelaide J. Thorpe, in the upper corner is a single white star on blue field, typifying North America. On a red field in the opposite corner the four stars, representing the South TH Cross constellation and South tmerica. The center of the flag is a I agonal white tur bearing the golden eagle of liberty, with a green its taions, inscribed, "Pax_1891."

A Smooth Answer. He-Do you think you really wanted a new dress now? She-You don't know anything about

it. I wish I had known before I married you what a stupid you are. He-You might have guessed # easily, when I offered to marry you-

town simost from the date of its "Please Mrs thank ran't your fittle admission has been called the Hawkeye State. Hawkeye was the name of a noted Indian chief, who in the early days caused no little trouble along the "What's the marner?" asked the boy Western border of American civiliza-