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On Main street, Petaluma, opposite Odd Fellows' Block, a quiet unpretentious gentleman merchant has for years passed the even tenor of his way-slowly but surely adding to his wealth from year to year. Learning that he was the lucky holder of onetenth of ticket No. 33,442, which drew the first capital prize of \$150,000 in the January drawing of The Louisiana State Lottery, we interviewed him on on him.

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pointing to some large boxes of dry allowed to make matches. goods that he was assisting to unpack.

wealth turning your head?'

"No, sir. It might have made a fool of me if it had happened when I was a good deal younger than I am now. You see that I am using this money to increase my business, and the lucky turn was not only a great help to me, but it is a help to this community, in that it enables me to buy goods lower than before, by paying cash, and in cheaper.'

"Do you patronize this Lottery as a regular business, Mr. Schmidt?'

"Oh, no. I buy a ticket occasionally. That man"-pointing to one who is in business nearly opposite (Successors to A. L. Bancroft & Co.) him-"rather forced the ticket upon me. It was nearly time for the drawing to take place, and he had more tickets than he wished to carry, and to accommodate him I took the tickets. So far as I can learn, this was the only ticket in town that drew anything that month.'

This is the first big haul that any of our people have made in The Louisiana State Lottery, and we are certainly glad that it happened in this instance, for it greatly assisted a deserving, honest man .- Petaluma (Cal.) Argus, Feb. 4.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

-There are 1,300 school districts in Vermont which have less than twelve pupils.

-The Kansas City Board of Education has decided to make the study of Spanish compulsory in the city high schools.

-In the college and schools in connection with the Free Church of Scotland Mission at Madras there are about 1,800 students.

-The Omaha Board of Education is fighting over the fact that a history of our country is in use in the public schools there from which all mention of the civil war is omitted.

-Archbishop Heiss, of Milwaukee, says that of the 8,000,000 Roman Catholics of the United States, 3.00),000 are Germans. Of the eleven Archbishops

ERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL

-The 10th of March next the Prince of Wales and his wife celebrate their diver wedding.

-One New York club man is said to pay enough annally in club dues to support half-a-dozen families.

-Up to the present time, Sir Morell Mackenzie has received £8,500 sterling for attendance on the Crown Prince of Germany.

-Recently, in the suburbs of New Orleans, a woman was attacked in her Wednesday last, to see what effect his own yard by an enraged sow, and was suddenly acquired wealth would have so seriously injured that death ensued. -Mrs. Elizabeth Colby, of Bingham,

We asked him if it was true that he Me., enjoys the distinction of being the had been paid the \$15,000. He replied : only woman in this country licensed to "Yes, sir. Don't this look like it?" solemnize marriages. Others are only

-Governor Alger, of Michigan, re-"Well, Mr. Schmidt, is there any peated his Christmas charity of last danger of this suddenly acquired year, giving clothing to five hundred newsboys, and fuel and flour to one

baked potato, a piece of beef and a glass of water.

-It is said that Mr. Edison keeps this way it helps other people, for I four hundred electric lights burning all will be able to sell goods a little night about his house and grounds at Llewellyn Park, N. J., where he himself frequently sits till dawn experimenting in his favorite line.

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"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

-With the exception of the mouth, man's anatomy ceases to grow at about the age of twenty.

-Au English land owner is so opposed to poaching that he will not eat a poached egg. -N. O. Picayune.

-De Smith-"Well, Travis, how are you?' Travis-"Oh, I'm robust. How are you?" De Smith-"Plain bust."-Burlington Free Press.

-Kentucky has a rooster with three throats, and every time a Kentuckian takes his Bourbon he wishes he was that rooster.-Fort Worth (Tex.) Gazette.

-Customer (in the restaurant)-"The last time I was here, waiter, I found a hair in my soup. Are you sure this is all right?" Waiter (confidentially)-"Yes, sah; I done took 'em all out.

-The time for a man to exercise his will-power is when he finds himself likely to go down on the icy pavement. If it can hold him up it is a success and should be encouraged .- Detroit

A forty-pound crocodile, covered with woolly hair, was captured by a British boat's crew on an island in the Atlantic, and is now a great pet aboard the ship. It is apparently of an un-known species.

A REPRIEVE FOR THE CONDEMNED.

Wretched men and women long condemned to suffer the tortures of dyspepsis, are filled with new hope after a few doses of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. This budding hope blossoms into the fruition of certainty, if the Bitters is persisted in. It brings a reprieve to all dys-peptics who seek its aid. Flatulence, heart-burn, sinking at the pit of the stomach between meals, the nerv in tremors and insomnia of which chronic indigestion is the parent, dis-appear with their hateful progenitor. Most beneficent of stomachies' who can wonder that in so many instances it awakens grateful elo-quence in those who, benefited by it, speak voluntarily in its behalf. It requires a graphic pen to describe the torments of dyspepsia, but in many of the testimonials received by the proprietors of the Bitters, these are portrayed with vivid truthfulness. Constipation, bilous-ness, muscular debility, malarial fevers and rheumatism are relieved by it. into the fruition of certainty, if the Bitters is

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thousand poor and deserving families. —Cardinal Manning is a frequent guest at luxurious banquets, but the ascetic churchman in the midst of such feasts makes his dinner off a

In the adulteration of lard in the United States there was last year 50,000,000 pounds of cotton-seed oil used.

THE OLD SILVER SPOON.

How fresh in my mind are the days of my sick-

When I tossed me in pain, all fevered and

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weakness, And even the old spoon that my medicins b re The old silver spoon, the family spoon, The sick-chamber spoon that my medicine

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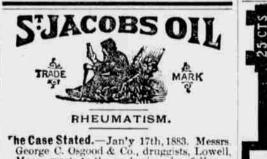
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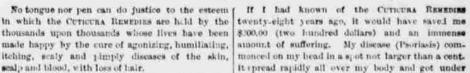
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habit I rub my hands over my arms and legs to scratch once in a while, but to no purpose. I am all well. I scratched twenty-eight years, and it got to be a kind of second nature to me. I thank you a thousand times. Any one who reads this may write to me and I will answer it. DENNIS DOWNING, Waterbury, Vt.



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and sixty Bishops, only one Archbishop, Dr. Heiss himself, and eleven Bishops, are Germans.

-All the churches of Baltimore are in a very satisfactory condition spiritually. The Young Men's Christian Association of that city has enrolled as members two thousand young men, of whom a large number avail themselves of its educational and spiritual privileges.

-The corporation of Harvard University have voted to build a new dormitory to cost \$200,000. The plans for the new building, which will be known as Hastings Hail, are now being prepared, and it is expected that it will be ready for occupancy in October, 1889.

-The Presbyterian ministers of Pittsburgh have adopted a resolution deelaring their disapprobation of Sunday newspapers. The resolution calls upon all lovers of law and order and of a religious Sabbath to withdraw their patronage from papers that publish Sunday editions,

-The attempt to force upon the public schools of St. Louis an obligation to give special instruction in the German language at an annual expense of \$60,-000 was recently voted down by a majority of 4,000 in a School Board election. The platform of the majority was: "No language but the English should be taught at public expense in the schools."

-At the meeting of the board of regents of the Michigan University at Ann Arbor, President Angell stated that the appropriation by the Legislature for the past two years had amounted to \$155,000. Out of 1,406 students, the parents of 502 were farmers, 171 merchants, 93 lawyers, 83 physicians, 52 manufacturers. 54 mechanics and 51 clergymen. Forty-five per cent. belonged to the class who gained their living by manual toil.

-There has just been sold in London the chapel in which John Wesley first preached. His diary contains many references to his ministry in West Street Chapel from October 26, 1743, when he preached his first sermon there, to February, 1790, when he made his last record about preaching there. Besides the church-pulpit and fittings, there remains in the vestry the portable pulpit which Wesley was accustomed to use when preaching in the open air.

-Woodford Pudding: Three eggs, one teacup sugar, one-half teacup butter, one-half teacup flour, one teacup jam or preserves, scant teaspoon soda dissolved in three teaspoons sour milk, mix well and bake slowly. Sauce: One

egg, one large cup sugar, one small cup butter, mix well, put on stove and stir until melted and pour on immediately.

Free Press.

-"Is there any difference in the meaning of the words 'nautical' and 'marine'?'' asked Mrs. McCorkle of Mrs. Fangle. "No," was the reply; "one is a cinnamon of the other." She meant synonym.

-When you see a boy and girl at a cane grinding dip hot syrup with a piece of cane peeling and each taking turns licking it, you may infer that their fate is sealed, or ought to be .-Fort Gaines Advertiser.

-Church choirs in Wales go up into the mountains to practice. There is less danger then of the front end of the syllables striking against some obstacies and breaking the teeth of the singers. -Buffalo Express.

-Policeman - "Come along, now, quietly, or it will be worse for you.' O'Tool-"Oi'll not. The magistrate told me the last time niver to be brought before him again, an' begorra, I'm going to obey his instructions!"-Toronto Grip.

-Woman (to country postmistress) -"Is there enythin' fer me to-day? I'm sot on hearin' from my darter, Mirandy." Postmistress-"There's a postal. Mirandy writes she's enjiin' herself an' won't be home till nex' week."-Texas Siftings.

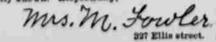
-A preacher in one of the towns on the Marquette range concluded not long ago that he had had enough of the place and would get up and get, although his congregation did not want him to. So the people got up a donaion party, which realized two hundred dollars, and when he called for the money informed him he could have it when it was earned, at the same time fixing the price per sermon he was considered worth. The minister danced

and talked until he was red in the face, but his taskmasters were inexorable, and he is still preaching for them. ...

A WOMAN'S WAY.

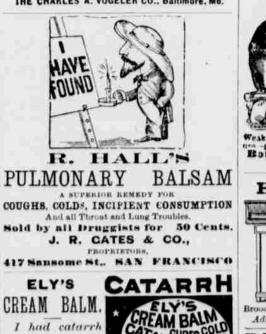
A Startling Business Proposition. A little over six weeks ago Mrs. Fowler of 327 Ellis street, San Francisco, stopped in at a leading city druggist's to ask what effect Joy's Vegetable Sarsararilla, about which she had heard so much Saraparilla, about which she had heard so much recently, would have in cases of dyspersia and alck headache. She was assured that in most cases it would relieve both. She was, however, so horredu-loua that finally the druggist gave her a bothe, not to be paid for unless it effected a cure. A proposi-tion so startlingly practical has seldom, if ever be-fore, been made. The following just received is the convincing conclusion, and tells its own story:

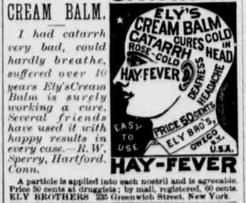
tonvincing conclusion, and tells its own story: San Francisco, February 8, 1888. Than Stm: I write to admit that, notwithstand-ing my misgivings, Joy's Vegetable Sarssparilla did all that you promised. I had tried so many prescriptions, to no purpose, that I had come to believe nothing would relieve my dyspepsia and sick headsches, but I have not had a return of either since I commenced taking it. I believe I am permanently cured, but will, out of an abundance of caution, continue to take it regularly for a while, for it is my belief that a remedy that will cure dys-perias and provent sick beadaches should be gen-cerelly known. Respectfully. MMM.M. Jurger. But But Street.



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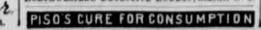
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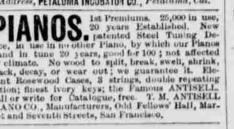
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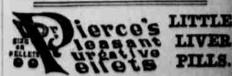
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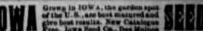
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