Suits

-to-measure,

the only way to fit a man is to first find out just what kind of a man you have to fit-that's just what we do take your measure exact-and cut the suit for you-and it must fit, or we'll keep 'em.

-exclusively.

CHAS. McDONALD, The Tailor. 523 Commercial Street.

for a Finer Dinner

Few Men Would Ask

than those we serve. We're trying in every way to make them the most en joyable in town. All the "good things" of the season-cooked by our excellent cook-in the most delicious style, Perfec

If you invite a friend to the Palace Restaurant the place is a sufficient guaruntee that he will receive a good meal.

The Palace Restaurant

Sterling Silver!

Never has there been such a stock of sterling silver jewelry as that now on display at our store. Half the town does not realize the immensity of this assortment.

EXSTROM, the Jeweler.

ASTORIA -

MATTRESS - FACTORY

378 Commercial Street. -0-Manufacturers of every description of

REPAIRING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES

When the tide sets one way there i When the tide sets one way there is always a cause for it.

Women don't come here to buy roasts steaks, and all other kinds of meat simply because it's Christensen & Co.'s.

Of course there are a few, a very few, who buy out of compliment, or from ignorance, but the great mass of housekeepers buy where they can get the best and for that reason we supply the majority of the families in Astoria for they know by experience that we have only the best.

WASHINGTON MEAT GARRET

WASHINGTON MEAT MARKET, CHRISTENSEN & CO., Prop'rs,

Hundreds of business and professiona men are now coming to our place-"THE RESORT"

Dally. Why? Because they can at any fime, day or night, call for a sandwich here and get it.

We expected to be mobbed for these sandwaches and our fresh 5 cent beer

Grosbauer & Brach.

Iron

Works,



General Clackinist and Boller Works. All kinds of Cannery, Ship, Steamboar and Engine Work of any Description. Castings of all kinds made to order. Foot of Lafavette St., Astoria, Or.

A Poor Cigar

W. F. SCHIEBE never made Don't expect to make, either. But marke this-s-a-t-i-s-f-a-c-- t-i--n of the 22-karet sort has accompanied every purchase of - one of the cigars made by him since he began business. We've got the notion that a satisfied - customer "cuts a big figure" in - building up a business. That's ---- the reason La Belle Astoria takes

ROSS HIGGINS & CO. Grocers, : and : Butchers

Astoria and Upper Astoria. the Teas and Coffees, Table Delicacies, Domesti and Tropical Fruits, Vegetables, Sugar Cured Hams, Bacon, Etc. Choice - Fresh - and - Salt - Meats.

White Kid Slippers! White Kid Oxfords!

White Canvas Oxfords! In buying these goods from us for graduation exercises one can be suited here just as well as though they had sent to Ban Francisco and had the goods made for them.

JOHN HAHN & CO.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

Halr Goods Manufactured All Styles

Wigs, Bangs, Switches, Combings Made Up, Dressing, Shampooing, Bleaching and Dyeing. Children's Hair Cutting.

MRS C E SEDERLOF,

Japanese Bazaar SING LUNG. Prop.

Ladies' and Children's hats and duck suits.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's underwear made to order. Lowest prices in Astoria.

Mond Street, next door to Mouler's Excess of precipitation from 1st, 1896, to date, 5.57 inches.

White Fresh candles every hour at the Bon

Just the Thing for Warm Weather

ALBERT DUNBAR.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Fresh strawberries at Smith's today.

Sweet cream at Smith's 20 cents pint

Don't use a plaster, but take Rogers Kidney Cure for inme back.

DON'T PASS BY-But step into Jeff's and try one of those Mc meals.

POSTAGE STAMP DEPOT-H. Jeld

THE SPA-Coman's old stand, is the place for fresh candles and ice cream.

THE SAME PLACE-118 12th street in

T. E. Schultz, frescoe and scenic artist, with B. F. Allen, 385 Commercial

WANTED-People to call at the Scow Bay Wood Yard and learn the prices on

The Palace Barber Shop is now giv-

The Palace Bath House encourages

The vanilla and lemon exthacts put up by the Printz-Crain Drug Co. are the

PAT LAWLER & CO.-Fine line of

canned goods and fresh fish, 574 Com-mercial street.

YOUR TURN NEXT-To get one of the

finest cigars for the least money. No.

Catl at the Printz-Crain Drug Store and

GRAEFE & PLANK-No. 628 Comm

finest line of liquors and cigars in city. Call and sample them.

street, has on hand a fine collection Clocks, Rugs, etc., at lowest prices.

DROP IN-Next door to McLean's

Blacksmith Shop and get prices on all kinds of carpenter work. A. Paulsen.

WE HAVE IT—The place to get a 25-cent meal for 15 cents, only white labor employed at 684 Commercial street.

PLEASE STOP, As you pass by Mat Strall's second-hand store, on Commer

cial street, and learn prices on his stock

WAH SING & CO .- Merchant tallors

626 Commercial street, cheaper than you can buy ready made. New stock com-

RAILROAD SURE-If W. T. Beverider

cannot sult you with cigars and toba-

co on Commercial street, he can on lith

PIANOS AND ORGANS-The Wiley B.

Allen Co., "Branch," 710 Commercial St., Leading Makes. Low Prices. Easy

STOP-At the Horse Shoe Chop House and try one of those 15 cent meals, sam as you pay 25 cens for elsewhere, 54

JUST RECEIVED-At 615 Commercial

street, fine line of extension tables, cen-ter tables, lounges, and kitchen treas-ures. J. G. Ross, proprietor.

What cows received first premium at

the World's Fair for producing the

richest milk? Jersey cows, and those

are the only kind that J. A. Rowan

class bottle at your door every morn-

Business men of Astoria visiting Port

land have for years been accustom-

to take their mid-day lunch at the

'Gem." The "Gem" is now located at

73 Third street, next door to the Alnsworth Bank. Jos. E. Penny.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Local weather for the twoney-four hours ending at 5 p. m. yesterday, furnished by the United States department of agri-culture weather bureau: Maximum temperature, is degrees. Minimum temperature, is degrees.

Precipitation, none.
Total precipitation from September 1st.
Set, to date, 74.30 inches.
Precess of precipitation from September

sells milk from.

15 cents.

best made,

the place to buy fresh fish every day.

eign novelty goods, at 566 Comm

ness, No. 613 Commercial street.

Try Smith's ice cream.

Summer Ladies rubber bathing caps for sale by Corsets. Bottle of Gambrinus beer and sandwich,

lo cents, at Jos. Terp's. Hay, oats and all kinds of mill feed for

Best ice cream and ice cream soda in the city at the Bonbonniere.

AROUND TOWN.

Wild blackbernes at Ross, Higgins &

Eleven teams and a large force of la-

Henry Lang, of the Grocery firm of Lang & Co., of Portland, was in town

Get a NEW Hammond, pre-eminently the best typewriter manufactured. W. S. Wood, agent. Have you seen it yet—the NEW Ham-mond typewriter? Call and examine it, W. S. Wood, agent.

Swedish Lutheran church-Sunday morning, services in English. Evening

There will be a sociable given in Upper Astoria this evening, by the members of the Scandinavian M. E. Church. GRAND OPENING-Of all kinds of for-

> A large party of campers arrived on the Telephone yesterday afternoon and left on the same steamer for Seaside.

The usual quietness pervaded the at-

resterday, and not a case was heard. Please bear in mind that the steamer North Pacific makes her regular Sunday excursion to Ilwaco next Sunday, July ing one of their two-bit shaves for 14th.

L. Samuel and son, who have been vis-iting in Astoria for several days, re-turned to Portland on the Telephone last Our milk is guaranteed strictly pure and fresh from the cow daily. Reith & Wilson.

The construction of a number of new residences will be commenced on Irving folks to bathe by having everything avenue us soon us improvements now un-

It is no exaggeration to say that the NEW Hammond will out-wear half a dozen typewriters of other makes. Practically, there is no timit to its durability.

W. S. Wood, agent.

Fisk. Luckly the other members of the family were absent at the time, clse a more dreadful accident might have been chronicled.

Mr. Z. Lee, assistant superintendent of the city delivery of the Portland post-office, accompanied by his wife, is in the city. Mrs. Lee is a former Astorian, and with her husband, will remain here several days.

get a sample of their Anticeptic Tooth Wash free of charge. will be sorvice in the Scandinavian M. E. Church tomorrow at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "The Pilgrimage of Faith." Evening subject, "Fresh Bread for Today's Hunger." A cordial invitation is extended to all. cial street, will repair your clothes for little money. Try them, WORLD'S FAIR SALOON-Keeps the

a pleasant day at Fort Capby and the beach. Remember the North Pacific will leave the O. R. and N. dock Sunday, July 14th, at 8 o'clock in the morning. FOR FINE DENTAL WORK-Go to Round trip ticket only 50 cents. Dr. Howard, No. 598 Commercial Street. Removed from Astor House.

Gust. Klippy, who was badly hurt while leading a horse over the hill Thursday evening, was able to be on the street jesterday. His face is badly discolored and swollen. He considered himself lucky If your watch don't run, call at 574 Commercial street, across from Shana-han Bro.' and have it repaired. that he did not get more seriously in DON'T FORGET-That at Nos. 214 and 216 Tenth street is the place to have your horse shod and repair work done.

Smith's ice cream is unequalled . Ice cream soda a specialty. Private parlors for ladies. Commercial street.

The pastors of the Methodist and Congress of t gregational churches will exchange Sunday morning. The Sunday school mes's at 12:15 and the Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Evening thems, "The Good Stepherd."

grand upright containing our world's fair scale. It also embraces a fine assortment of organs from a plain neat case to a most elaborate case with French plate mirrors. THE EASTERN CLOCK CO., On 12th The steamer North Pacific will hereaf-

ter ply between Astoria and Ilwaco, mak-ing two round trips daily, leaving on arrival of R. R. Thompson and T. J. sive every one a chance to get a high Potter from Portland. For tickets and srade instrument from first hand and saye detailed information, call at ticket office under Occident hotel.

George Bartley believes in having the streets look neat and clean. Every even-ing after closing up his establishment, he spends ten minutes at this work. He sold in Astoria for the last four years

A SURE THING—That you can get fruit and candy for less money than any-where else at M. Mouler's, on Bond phere. Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Smith leave thi

morning on the steamship State of Cali-fornia for San Francisco. The object of their visit is to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. M. Patton, mother of Mrs. Smith, who died in that city last week, Mrs. Patten was 78 years of age and died of congestion of the brain.

Carpenters will commence on Monday ext the construction of a new ventilator on the building of the Pacific Can Fac-tory. The ventilator will be 125 feet long and six feet high. Hesides being a means of supplying purer air to those naide, it will geatly increase the condition of the factory as regards light, etc.

Services at the Baptist Church-Preaching morning and evening. Subject in the morning and evening. Subject in the morning. The Present and the Future."

In the evening. "Being Added to the Church." Baptism in connection with the evening service, Sunday school at 11:45 and Y. P. B. U. at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. on Wednesday. You are welcome. Come.

In the clubs and stretched several of the drunken ruffians upon the floor. Three men were arrested, Wm. Morris, C. Snyder, and Fred. Rudder, and lodged in the city jail. Their trial will be had to the clubs and stretched several of the poince drew their clubs and stretched several of the drunken ruffians upon the floor. Three men were arrested, Wm. Morris, C. Snyder, and Fred. Rudder, and lodged in the poince drew their clubs and stretched several of the drunken ruffians upon the floor. Three men were arrested, Wm. Morris, C. Snyder, and Fred. Rudder, and lodged in the poince drew their clubs and stretched several of the drunken ruffians upon the floor. Three men were arrested, Wm. Morris, C. Snyder, and Fred. Rudder, and lodged in the clubs and stretched several of the drunken ruffians upon the floor. Three men were arrested, Wm. Morris, C. Snyder, and Fred. Rudder, and lodged in the clubs and stretched several of the drunken ruffians upon the floor. Three men were arrested, Wm. Morris, C. Snyder, and Fred. Rudder, and lodged in the clubs and stretched several of the drunken ruffians upon the floor.

No bester milk was ever brought to Astoria than is furnished for five cents a quart by Reith & Wilson, and de-livered in a clean and tightty closed Sabbath at First M. E. Church-At 11 a. n. Rev. Daniel Staver will preach.
The pastor solicits a full attendance of members. At 7 p. m. a young people's rally. At 8p. m., Dr. Bushong will preach upon the theme "The Coming Ideal Girl; Who is she; What will she not do; What she will do and why." All parents and young people cordially in-Arrived—Mrs. Zweiner, trance medium, Can be consulted on all affairs of lifs. Call at Mrs. M. A. Hall's residence, 351 Exchange street, old Ross residence. Cirparents and young people cordially incles every Tuesday and Friday night at vited.

What brings people back to the Astoria Wood Yard after they have sounded the possibilities everywhere else? May be it's one thing, and May be it's another. But the fact remains—back they come. And of course the Astoria Wood Yard is proud of it. Commencing Sunday, June 39, and during the seaside season, the O. R. and N. Co. will make a 50 cent round trip rate between Astoria and Hwaco good on Sun-days only. Steamer North Pacific leaves O. R. and N. wharf at 8 o'clock a. m. Time of departure returning will be gov-erned by tides permitting connection to be made with Potter for Portland in

The bleycle contingent of the A. F. C. met at the club rooms last night and organized a club and elected the following efficers: Captain, C. T. Crosby; first Leutenant, F. L. Parker; second lieutenant, Thomas Bryce; color bearer, E. C. Pelper. The club intend giving numerous excursions during the summer months, and will be very prominent at the coming regatta. The officers are all young and enthusiastic wheelmen.

Services at the Presbyterian church as follows: Preaching morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. R. Liddell, Morning, II o'clock, theme, "The New Name."
Byening, 5 o'clock, theme, "Sterling Honesty," This is the second lecture of a
series specially prepared for young men."

A well-furnished suite of r
use of parior, and, ff des
table board, at reasonable rate
series specially prepared for young men.

which the pastor is delivering on Sab-bath evenings. All are invited. Sab-bath school after the morning service. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m.

The common council will take action a its meeting next Wednesday evening on the improvement of Duane street, from by Supt. Chadwick some time ugo, and in some places is in such bad condition

A Party of Prominent Citizens
Visit Warrenton. that it is dangerous for people to walk over. The planks were worn out years ago. As the improvement is one of great public interest it is not likely that a single property holder will object to its being placed in good condition.

An inquest was held by Coroner Pohl yesterday over the body of the little girl killed in the street car accident Thursborers are at work on Irving avenue.

Julius Jacobsen, a Portland merchant, is spending a few days at Clatsop Beach.

Take a Sunday outing to North Beach Sunday. The North Pacific leaves at 8 o'clock.

Henry Lang, of the Grocery firm of

Right Rev. B. Harstad, of the Pacific district of the synod for the Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran Church of America, will visit the charge and mission field

years of age, and a son of Mr. Morgan, of Westport. Young Morgan has been an excessive drinker of intoxicants. About eight months ago he was induced to stop drinking. The sudden breaking of the hat it brought on insomnta. The usual quietness pervaded the at-mosphere of the justice and potce courts graduat dementia, and at times he became violent. He arrived in this city yesterday in charge of his father, under

was all that could be found of poor Fisk. Luckily the other members of the

SOME ONE CARRIES THE RISK.

Who carries the risk on your life? If you are not assured, your wife and children are carrying it. If your ware-house or your home burns down with-out insurance, you have carried the risk and have to bear the loss. If you die without assurance, your family has to bear the loss. Don't let them carry the risk any longer; they can't afford it, nor can you afford to carry life insurance in any other company but the Equitable Life. It is the strongest and best managed company in existence. L. and Eugene Samuel, special agents.

LOOK OUT FOR THEM.

Two Carloads of Kimball Planos and Organs Are Coming.

The largest and finest shipment ever brought to Astoria.

I am pleased to announce to the music loving public and my friends of Astoria, that two carloads of Kimball planes and organs left our factory in Chicago for Astoria on July 3. This shipment contains an elegant assortment of planos

These instruments will be sold to private buyers by the manufacturers direct missions. This is your chance to get ahead of the middle man and get a fine plane and organ for less than agents and there are dozens of them in use here and dopt the same plan the streets would present an attractive appearance.

A very loud and disagreeable odor in was sold in Astoria and they are so well A very found and disagreeable odd in the vicinity of 5th street and Franklin and favorably known that it would be avenue has become a nuisance to the residents of that neighborhood. The cause is the dead body of a cat which sion we will say that these instruments might be removed by the proper authorities and thus relieve the burdened atmosphere.

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DRUNKEN ROW.

A Number of Drunken Fishermen En-

gage in Fight. The lower part of town was all excite-The lower part of town was all excitement last night and Chief Loughery and Officers Serfeldt and Obers had their hands full in taking care of law breakers. It seemed to be a night off for the fishermen, and a majority of them were seeing the elephant for all it was worth. Towards the midnight hour a number of them extracted in an anyty dispute in Towards the midnight hour a number of them engaged in an angry dispute in Erickson's exicon, which wound up in a free-for-all fight. The police were called in, but the drunken crowd continued to fight. The officers took a hand in the scrimmage and the disgraceful row did not end till the police drew their clubs and stretched several of the drunken ruffians upon the floor.

Three men were arrested, Wm. Morris, C. Snyder, and Fred. Rudder, and lodged

Suit of D. K. Warren, assignee, vs. Charles Goddard; order of Thursday modified that demurrer be overruled, and that defendant file an answer today. that defendant file an answer today.

R. Laddington et. al. vs. Martin Ryan et. el., injunction allowed to issue on giving bond of \$1250 with two sureties to be approved by clerk.

W. H. Patterson vs. John Fox, et. al., board of Pilot Commissioners, demurren overruled and ten days allowed to file

F. M. Quinn vs. C. N. Hess; judgment for plaintiff as per stipulation. C. G. Palmberg vs. C. N. Hess, same

A WHITE TIGER.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. John Rowan, the milk rancher on the south side, pre-sented the Astorian office with a magnifivent white their lily. The flower meas-ures fifteen inches from tip to tip of its petals and is no doubt one of the finest specimens ever produced in the city.

FUNERAL NOTICE. The funeral of Ione, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Gerdes, will take place from Pohl's undertaking partors at 10 o'clock a. m. today. Friends of the family are invited to be present.

FURNISHED ROOMS WITH BOARD. A well-furnished suite of rooms, with

Visit Warrenton.

NEW CARS ON SEASIDE ROAD

Prominent Residents Visited and Many Picasant Events Fill a Day to Be Remembered.

'At il o'clock yesterday morning a par-ty of fifteen went aboard Capt. "Bob" Lowe's launch, the "Eagle," and steamed down the bay for a trip to Wurrenton. down the bay for a trip to Warrenton. The excursionists were R. A. Eddy, Judge The excursionists were R. A. Eddy, Judge of Rev. L. Nissen during August, as follows: Kindred Park, 1st; Chinook Beach, 4th; Gray's River, 7th; Nehalem Volley, Thoa. Trullinger, Dr. Alfred Kinney, 1sth; Gray's River, 7th; Nehalem Volley, Thoa. Trullinger, Dr. Alfred Kinney, 1sth; Gray's River, 7th; Nehalem Volley, Thoa. Trullinger, Dr. Alfred Kinney, 1sth; Gray's River, 7th; Nehalem Volley, Thoa. Trullinger, Dr. Alfred Kinney, 1sth; Gray's River, 7th; Nehalem Volley, Thoa. Trullinger, Dr. Alfred Kinney, 1sth; Carrolton, 2sth. The Right Reverend Harstad will visit Astoria on August alth, and as many of the Norwegian settlements on both sides of the Columbia as possible.

Edward Morgan was adjudged insane by the county court yesterday and an offer made committing him to the insane asylum. He is a young man, thirty years of age, and a son of Mr. Morgan, served by Chef Fulton, and the refresh-

corted them to the town hall and the railroad station, where the first train, consisting of the new coaches brought down from Portland the day before, whose care he was taken to Salem lest evening.

was being prepared for its trip to Seaside. In a few moments the conductor gave the signal of departure, and amid The news of the fatal accident which befel James Fisk, a farmer living near Westport, was brought to this city yesterday afternoon by Mr. Morgan, who der was stored in the upper story of his house, and while he was in the act of transferring it to another place, it caught fire and exploded. The entire upper part of the house was blown up and one leg was all that could be found of poor putting in pew ties where needed.

The news of the fatal accident which the cheers of the throng the first train of commerce is abundantly able to make commerce is abundantly able to make all the buying tools it wants for itself, 1:45 p. m. while he upper story of his house was the unit of the O and C., and the coaches 145 and to be unhesitatingly accepted for the exhouse was blown up and one leg lasting and repairing the road bed and was all that could be found of poor putting in new ties where needed.

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came over on the Dwyer and called upon Campbell Bros., who report business The visitors called upon all the prominent citizens, among them being Mr. D. K. Warren, Mr. Phineas Warren, Mr. Phineas Warren, Mr. Hill, and Col. John Adair. Mr. P. Warren's new house, which he bas just occupied, was much admired by all, it being particularly well constructed as far as light and ventilation are concerned. The return trip was made at 6 o'clock, and every one declared that they had had a most delightful time. The air was fine and as the launch speed along the fine and as the launch sped along the bay innumerable fishing boats were passed on their way to the night's work.
They made a beautiful picture, as they ckpped along over the water under a good breeze and a swift current, and one which is always new and full of interest. The gentlemen of the party rendered a vote of thanks to Capt. Lowe, and will

other trip today. PERSONAL MENTION.

probably accept his invitation for an-

E. A. Seeley, of Portland, is in town. Mrs. Logan left for Portland last even-

Mr. R. H. Burney, of Grays River, will soon leave for Dallas, Tex. dow or duppy to finger behind on earth, where, unless exercised by certain cere-Miss E. C. Warren is spending a week monies, it may work maschlef, or, at best, cause annoyance to the living. For instance the soul of a notorious cyll-doer,

with relatives at Warrenton. Captain U. B. Scott was a passenger up river on the Telephone last evening. George McNally and wife, of Chicago, are registered at the Parker House. B. L. Sharpstein, of Walla Walla, was one of the Occident's arrivals yesterday. H. W. Goddard returned to Portland last evening after a few days' visit

in Astoria. Miss Lillian Baine, of Portland, is visting in this city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kinney.

Chas. D. Stuart, captain of the Fort Camby life saving crew, accompanied by his wife, is in the city.

J. K. Armsby, the Chicago salmon broker, was in Astoria yesterday. He left for Portland in the evening. W. A. Frost and wife, of Chicago, are spending a few days in Astoria. They ere stopping at the Occident. Miss Edith Baum, of Portland, arrived

on the Telephone yesterday afternoon. She left this morning for a brief so-journ with friends at Seaview.

THE QUESTION OF PRICES.

New York Tribune, At the bottom of all strife and county blundering about money is found the hoary assumption that the quantity of gold in use as money determines the price of commodities. Ages ago men reasoned: "Puchase is exchange of gold for commodities and if there is less gold in proportion to commodities prices will fail." If that is so, as gold in use has not doubled while quantities of products have more than doubled, prices must fall perpetually. Some philosophers have gone further, and have tried to show how the increased quantity of gold in circulation stimulates buying and thus advances prices, but they have never explained how more gold produces more consumption per head, or how buying in the long run can increase more than consumption. Unreasoning minds have been unable to go beyond the ancient notion that more money must make higher prices, and so have clamored for more paper or credit money. But the country had in circulation \$14 per capita of all kinds of money in 1800, and in 1800 had \$23 per capita, and nevertheless prices had fallon about 20 per cent. More recently it has been shown that the cost in human labor of producing and transporting commodities has been and transporting commodities has been so vasily reduced that every day's work ought to be worth more bushels, pounds or yards. But this does not touch the question whether bushels, pounds or yards ought to be worth less money while labor is worth more. Indeed, Mr. Edward Alkinson, in the Bankers' Magisine, suggests the question whether "gold and silver have both depreciated in respect to commodities, and lost part of their purchasing power," because "the quan-

to commodities, and lost part of their purchasing power," because "the quantity of goods placed upon the markets" having doubled, had not "the quantity of gold by which we rate the commodities in estimating the prices" also doubled, prices would have been reduced, and "no such effect has occurred." He would have put the case more correctly and might readily have submitted a demonstration instead of a question, if he were entirely emissipated from the notion that "the quantity of gold" had anything to do with the matter. Whether there are 5,000 yardsticks at hand or only one, three feet of cloth measure just the same.

one, three feet of cloth measure just the mame.

The piece of paper or of silver that men readily accept in place of gold represents the same buying power that the gold Resif represents. It may be a private check, it may be an accepted draft, it may be an accepted A well-furnished suite of rooms, with use of parlor, and, if desired, good draft, it may be an accepted draft accepted draft, it may be an accepted draft accepted draft

or conveniently. What fixes prices is not the quantity of gold anywhere, but the buying power, of which part is represented by the check or lefter. Ancient most exquisite Latin sonnets. theories are blotted out by the enormous development of currency, banking and credit systems, by which the volume of money available at any ordinary time has been made practically unaimted. The revolution in modes of doing business, if it has not altered the very nature of transactions, has at least disclosed to us that all unexpended wealth forms with which her name is lastingly assotiated. the buying power by which prices of commodities are determined, and not that fraction of it which may happen to be Elder embodied in any form of money. A piece of New York Central, a fraction of an

fron mine or cotton mill, can be used just as wen as gold to buy a thousand

Accumulated wealth has grown four-fold since 1860 in this country. But popu-

Gold is nothing but an expressi-

expended wealth or buying power in

wages, consumption or interest, except as affects the certainty that current rep-

resentatives of purchasing power will be instantly accepted. Wherever it does, in

that way and no other abundance or scarcity of gold affects prices. Modern

When I first came to Jamaica the sur roundings of that lovely tropical island seemed to my unsophisticated eyes to

forbid the conventional ghost. The tiny wooden boxes, bright with creepers, and

Now, it is the general idea of English

people, even of those who have kved all their lives in the West Indies, that a

"Rolling Calf" is a very terrible creature that haunts the hillsides and lonely

places, to the terror of travelers. It has flery eyes, and is accompanied by the sound as of clanking chains. Apart

from this it is shaped much like an or dinary cow, and to be caught by on

is death, with the additional horror of being forced afterwards to become a "Rolling Caif" one's self. One chance of

escape, however, remains to the unfortunate viotim. The "Rolling Calf" cannot

run up bill and therefore if a slope can be reached, so that one is above, instead of on a level with or below this terrible

cannot charge up hill.-National Review.

RULES FOR BOYS.

Hats lifted in saying "Good-by" or

car or in acknowledging a favor. Keep step with anyone you walk with.

Always precede a lady up stairs and ask her if you may precede her in pass-ing through a crowd or public place.

Hats off the moment you enter a street door and when you step into a private

Let a lady pass first blways unless she

seated and stand till she takes a seat.

speaking or being spoken to.

Let ladies pass through a door first, standing aside for them.

In the dining-room take your seat after ladies, and elders.

Do not take your napkin in a bunch in

Eat as fast or as slow as the others,

and finish the course when they do.-Good Housekeeping.

SOME FAMOUS OLD PEOPLE.

At the age of 76 Victoria still rules

the empire on which the sun never

sets. Sir James Bacon, the distinguished jur-

English country gentleman at the age of W.

Dr. David Brown, principal of the Free Kirk college, Aberdeen, is one of the most active and influential members of

most active and intuential members of the Scottish clergy at the uge of 92. Jules Verne, in his 79th year, still spends six hours per day regularly in severe literary work and has five stories

now in press.

Senator Morrill, of Vermont, and Justice Stephen J. Field, are among the distinguished exiogenarians still active in public life in this country.

Sr Henry Bessemer, "the steel king," Si years of age, continues to take a keen interest in scientific matters and keeps himself up to date. His peculiarity is that he will not give any one his auto-

ist, is now living the busy

Never play with knife, fork or spoon

hall or office.

'How do you do?"
Hats lifted when offering a seat in

oushels of wheat.

lation has doubled, and the productive-ness of each human hand his much more than doubled, so that products to "Play tennis, I suppose?"
"O, yes, she's a capital tennis player." be bought have increased somewhat more than wealth, and prices naturally fail. "Rides a bicycle?"
"To perfection." In other countries population is nearly stationary, while accumulated wealth in-creases but slowly, but products of labor have multiplied, so that the same ten-dency towards lower prices prevails. "H'm-wear bloomers?" (Grimly) "You'd better find out if she

French like a native, and-

men in Europe. Glidstone contin

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this young Miss Peduncle you want to marry—what kind of girl is she? Young Man (with expectations con-

tingent on elderly relative's last will and testament)-Aunt Rachael, she is the

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