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CIVIL SERVICE PENSIONS.

Pensions for employes of the Federal government who have worked themselves out in the service is being considered. Congressman Hamill was to swear that we had thrown all of New Jersey having introduced a hill to this effect. The Civil Service Retirement Association has taken the matter up and doing all it can toward getting the law passed.

The substance of the bill is as follows:

"In H. R. 9242 a straight out pension is provided for employes who have reached the age of 60 after 50 or more years service; the pension shall be 50 per cent of the average annual pay received during the five employes who have reached the age | Tribune. of 62, after 25 to 30 years' service, a pension of 45 per cent of the average annual pay for the five years just before retirement is provided. For those who have reached the age of 65, after from 20 to 25 years of service, this bill gives a pension of 40 per cent of the average annual pay for hie five years before retirement. It Proved to Be a Rich Find and Be-No employe shall be kept on active service after reaching 70 years of nge

"The bill also provides for totaldisability pension for those five years and more in the service upon the following basis: Service of 5 to 10 years, 30 per cent of the average an- Tombstone, Ariz. How did it come to nual pay for the five years previous have such a name? It was not borrow to retirement; service of 10 to 20 ed or staten from any other place on years, 10 per cent of the average an. the globe nor even suggested by any nual pay; service of 21 years and notel or romance. nual pay.

itself would profit if such a law were enacted providing superannuation. their employes better and why should the Federal government do less? persons far less worthy than the civil service men and women. Is it very surprising that more young persons are not entering the government ser- the camp. vice today! Gertainly not, when there

"I was merely reflecting- upon the peculiar difference oratory has upon different people," said the other states. MIN IL "And what induced that train of thought?" asked the first senator.

much amused, by reason of the fact. well known to him and to others, that his colleague was anything but an "oratorical" personage. "My speech of this afternoon," ex plained the senator. "Do you know that speech kept me awake for four

nights, and today it put all who heard it asleep?"-New York Press.

Queered by Sulcide. "What do you think of \$20 in one

week for new razors?" safd the boss "That's what we spent this barber. We got an entirely new set week. Had to do it or lose our trade.

"A man cut his throat with one of our razors last Saturday. Other customers heard about it, and they got afraid they might be shaved with the fatal ranor. The only way we could convince them there was no danger the old razors away and show them a till for the new lot.

"That has happened to us twice before. A suicide with a barber shop razor will force the proprietor to lay in a new supply every time."-New York Times.

Foresteing a Possible Danger. Confidential Lawyer-In this investigation you purpose carrying on, as to what your enemies have got up their sleeves, you will need a competent detective, I presume. Trust Magnate-Yes, but not too competent. don't want one that will go prying years just before retirement. For into our own private affairs.-Chicago

An Admiral's Warning.

Admiral de Vivonne while crossing the Rhine at Tolhuys noticed his horse stumbling when in midstream. "Would you drown an admiral in fresh water?" he shouted to his steed.

THEIR TOMBSTONE.

came a Town's Name.

There is a certain natural pride felt. after success has come, in wearing the epithet given in contempt by those who prophesied failure. Instances are not uncommon of triumphant sects and parties and even nations retaining the very title first given them by their enemies. A case in point is

The story is that two young men. over, 50 per cent of the average an- brothers, when about to start from Tueson on a prospecting tour into the it is believed that the government Dragoon mountains, Socora, or somewhere else were advised to give up the undertaking, for if they perished they would find neither mine nor fortunes. At present an employe of Uncle Sam but their "tombstones" instead. The who has become aged and worn is boys bravely bade goodby to their cast aside. Private concerns treat friends, though emphatically warned that they never would return alive The prospectors set off and, following the "blind trail," came to the plain Thousands of dollars is spent every and made their camp. On examination year by the government to pension they found a tedge of ore cropping out several feet, all marked and rich with the precious metal. "We have found sur tombstone." they excluimed, and no other name would do to designate

The town has kept the name, which. is no promise of their being taken if not poetical, is certainly original. A care of after they have given the best valuable tombstone, too, it must be confessed, for the Schieffella brothers Bulletin. sold their half interest in the mine

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

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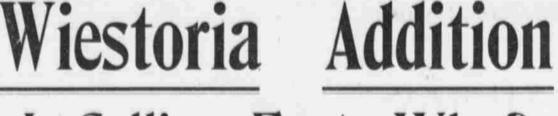
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period of their life to Uncle Sam. During the last fiscal year there were and mill late in the eightles for some 70 voluntary resignations out of a to- thing like a million dollars .- New York tal of 753 employes in the weather Fress. bureau, and it is likely the same proportion of resignations occur in other branches.

MODELS OF BREVITY.

Gems of Correspondence In Which There Were No Words Wasted.

A couple of Quakers hold the record for brief letters. One of them, wishing to learn if a correspondent in a distant town had any news to communicate, posted to him a sheet of paper on which only a note of interrogation was written. The reply came in the form of a blank sheet, indicating that there was nothing at all to commonicate.

Actors seem to carry off the palm for brevity in letter writing. Quin had a misunderstanding with Rich, the man ager of Covent Garden, which resulted in Quin's leaving in an unceremonious manner. He soon regretted the hasty action and wrote to the man-nger. "I am at Bath-Quin." Rich did not think this a sufficient apology and accordingly replied, "Stay there and be hanged.

Everybody remembers the letters that passed between Samuel Foote and his mother. "Dear Sam." wrote the indy, "I am in prison for debt .- Your loving mother." Foote's answer was even shorter: "Dear Mother-So am

March 19, 1790, was a notably dark day in Boston. A certain lady was induced thereby to write the following note to the famous Dr. Byles: "Dear Doctor-How do you account for this darkness?" 'To which the doctor simply replied, "Dear Madam-1 am as much in the dark as you are."-Pearson's Weekly.

The Difference.

Late one afternoon a western senator chanced to run across his colleague. who sat musing idly in a committee

"Hello, Tou!" said the second senstor. "What are you doing here?"

eGetting Rid of Fear.

"What is meant by autoauggestion?" writes a correspondent. The phrase simply signifies self suggestion to good For instance, if not particular ends ty dislikes to do something one ought one may conquer the disinclination by resolutely saying over words express ing the necessity of doing the thing at once and with pleasure. The person who is afraid to go upstairs in the dark may, it is said, overcome this fear by saying. "I am not straid; darkness is friendly; nothing can hurt me." The underlying idea is that the mind is the real ruler of the body and that by allowing the mind to take command of a situation from the higher and not the lower point of view ill may be vanquished and good accomplished .-



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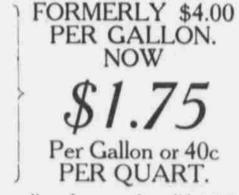
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