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Haydn had brought much chaotic and irregular theoretical lore into clear and definite shape, but Mozart simplified matters still more. Introducing the keenest outlines, the most beautiful figures, together with clear and lucid teachings, he defined the formal construction of the movement, section, repeat, etc., until now the musician or student can set out with his principal subject or theme, and having no misgivings concerning the dogmas of subsidiary subject, complimentary keys and the like.

Schooled in Mozart's principles of construction, the student could pilot himself safely through the intricacies of the most advanced symphony, and it is for his labors and the pattern he set in this direction that the world of music delights to do honor to the name of Mozart.—Blackwood's Magazine.

How the Mosquito Does It.

A mosquito's bill is an elaborate contrivance and consists of two sharp saws and a lance inclosed in a sheath which is also employed as a pump. The saws are bony, but flexible, and the teeth are near the end which is pointed. The lance is perhaps the most perfect instrument known in the world of minute things. It is first thrust into the flesh and the opening is enlarged by the saws, which play beside it until the sheath can be inserted. The sawing is what causes irritation when a mosquito is biting.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

Politics and Presents.

A recent English bridegroom goes to the bridesmaids at his wedding brooches upon which were inscribed the number "938." This, it seems, was the majority by which he secured political preferment. If Americans should take to mixing politics with social events some curious results might be evolved.—New York Times.

Saratoga, Kan., has a \$30,000 opera house, but only the music of insects is ever heard there; there is not a resident in the town. It also has a \$20,000 school house, but merry little voices never echo there.

Portland has what is claimed to be the largest derrick ever erected in Maine. The mast is 83 feet in length and 23 inches in diameter; the boom is 66 feet long and 15 inches in diameter.

The father of Rossini, the Italian maestro, was a baker, and also the town trumpeter, and on his instrument the young musician took his first lessons in the divine art.

Inigo Jones, the famous English architect, was the son of a weaver, and angered his father by sketching houses on the walls of the cottage with a bit of charcoal.

The most densely peopled continent is of course Europe. The number of people in Europe is known with a great degree of accuracy. There are about 360,000,000.

The goldseekers of both America and Australia have a singular but well grounded superstition that the discoverers of hidden treasures are sure to meet with violent deaths. The original proprietors of between thirty-five and forty of the most prosperous gold and silver mines in this country are known to have come to just such ends. Out of the forty or less twelve were shot or stabbed to death in saloon or other broils, five committed suicide, three were engulfed by landslides, five turned murderers or robbers and were caught and executed in various ways, one fell into a boiling spring and had the flesh literally stewed from his bones, while the others have disappeared and no one knows what ever became of them.

George H. Fryer, once the millionaire proprietor of the Fryer Hill mine, committed suicide in Denver after spending the last nickel between himself and starvation. The discoverer of the great Standard mine, in California, was caught and swallowed up in an avalanche; Colonel Story was killed by Indians; William Fairweather, of the famous Alder Gulch mine, died with the "frenzied horrors" after a continuous two years' debauch. "Farrell of Meadow Lake" died with a terrible disease in a San Francisco hospital. The owner of that great mine, the Homestake, became a highwayman and was shot while robbing a stage coach. John Homer tried the same route that Fryer went. "Doughnut Bill," "Ninemile Clarke," "Old Eureka" and many others were killed in saloons.—St. Louis Republic.

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