

Lebanon Express.

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A bill making immediately available \$250,000 for saving life and property along the Mississippi has been agreed to in congress in an amended form and goes to the president for his signature.

The Daily San Francisco Examiner states editorially that Portland is to have a new morning paper with full telegraphic service and that it will be called "The Tribune." This would indicate that probably the Examiner will be interested in the venture.

W. J. Bryan has decided to give one-half of the royalties from the sale of his book to the cause of "bimetallism," and has appointed a committee whose duty it will be to properly expend the funds reserved for that purpose. The first month's royalties amount to \$16,600, and he has distributed one-half among the committee as follows: \$4,500 to Mr. Jones; \$1,500 to Warner; \$1,500 to Allen and \$500 to Feller, and certified checks for these amounts have been sent. Mr. Bryan based his division on the vote he received from the four parties represented by the gentlemen named.

Representative Hood, of Barry county, has introduced a bill in the Missouri legislature at Jefferson City which is destined to restrict flirtation. It prohibits railroad conductors, brakemen and other employees from "intruding attention and conversation upon female passengers on any pretext whatever." The penalty prescribed is \$25 for each offense, one-half of which is to go to the informer and the other half to the county in which the offense is committed. Hood is a Populist and a school-teacher. He is in dead earnest in the matter and declares that the habit which railroad conductors and brakemen have of flirting with lady passengers must be stopped.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The San Francisco Call has discovered that the Examiner buys convict-made twine from San Quentin and proceeds to chastise the Monarch for this supposed thrust at labor. The difference between Mr. Hearst and Mr. Spreckels is that one helps to support the government while the other draws his support from the government through the sugar bounty. While Mr. Hearst withholds five hundred dollars a year from the San Francisco twine factories, Mr. Spreckels and his associates levy tribute on the sugar consumed by every man, woman and child in the United States. The people will one day awake to the iniquity of this wholesale plunder of the many for the benefit of a few.—Fresno (Calif.) Irrigator.

People will have to be very careful how they mutilate coins hereafter. A law has just been passed which provides that the passing of mutilated or defaced coins or defacement of coin for any purpose shall be held to be a criminal offense, punishable by imprisonment for a period of one to five years and a fine of \$100 to \$2000. Under this law the practice of presenting ladies with coins of gold or silver, with the initials of donor engraved thereon, to be worn as badges, will be a criminal offense. The law also drives out of existence a number of people who have made a living by purchasing mutilated coins at a reduction from their face value and plugging up the holes so skillfully that the original mutilation could not be discovered. Even this kind of tampering with money will be regarded as an offense under the statute.

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The Elder Dumas.
Of his Sheridan-like dealings with tradesmen an anecdote is told. During a scarcity of ice a neighbor of Dumas went to a dealer for some and was told that the limited stock on hand was kept for the use of the famous author. Then the gentleman sat again and bade his servant ask for the ice in the name of M. Dumas. The plan succeeded. The ice was given, and the servant put down the money on the counter. "Ah," cried the tradesman, "give me back that ice! Now I know that you are not from M. Dumas. He never pays ready money." "My father," said M. Dumas, "once told me that if he could portion out a new life he would be a handsome woman till 50, a victorious general from 50 to 60, and a cardinal in his old age." Dumas, as he related this parental desire, glanced toward Rossini and added: "I should prefer to close my life as an illustrious composer. Mon cher Rossini, when you enter a room, the very lacquer pronounces your name with pride as he announces you."
Then turning to the company he continued: "Announce, for instance, M. le Duc d'Anmale and Signor Rossini at the same moment and see on which side all heads and all hearts will incline first. All eyes would be on the great musician who created 'Il Barbiere de Seville.'" And then we all filled our glasses with cognac of the vintage of 1811 and drank the health of Rossini. The old composer did not rise, but his face broke out into voluminous smiles as he shook the hand of the author of "La Dame Aux Camelias."—Philadelphia Times.

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J. E. MAHON,
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BICYCLING IN COLD WEATHER.

Some Simple Precautions That Should Be Strictly Observed.

Heretofore the majority of cyclists have laid their wheels "on the shelf" as soon as the autumn winds commenced to blow, but from present indications it is evident that it will be a common sight to see numbers of cyclists of both sexes taking a spin over the packed snow or ice throughout the winter. If one is properly fortified against the winds he finds that in no season is cycling so exhilarating as in the winter.

"Provided we adhere to the laws of nature," said a prominent physician the other day, "I see no reason why the riding season should end with the fall. The winters of late have been very open, with but little snow, and the roads have been such as to allow of wheeling nearly the entire winter. But those who ride during the winter months must exercise a bit of caution and be particular to dress in windproof costumes, which will be properly ventilated and at the same time be of sufficient warmth. The most important thing to bear in mind is to keep in motion while out of doors, and in no case should a person stand still in the open air after exercising unless one is suicidally bent.

"A heavy chest protector, covering the back as well as the chest, is almost indispensable, particularly on windy days. A newspaper buttoned under the vest will be found very comfortable—it is not heavy and will keep the wind away from one's person, at the same time retaining the natural heat of the body."

There have recently been manufactured several articles of apparel designed expressly for the cyclist's comfort during the winter months. A western firm is advertising garments of a texture which is said to be wind-proof. They make up skirts, coats and chest protectors.

Unnumerable complaints of cold lands were made by last winter's riders, and indeed this has been one of the chief objections to winter riding. The cold steel of the handle-bars and the lack of circulation in the hands caused many a cold finger. A heavy, tight-fitting wristlet worn with a glove that will reach well over the coat sleeve, will remedy the evil. A sort of mitten of heavy felt covered with leather has lately been devised. It is about 15 inches in length and reaches over the coat sleeve well up to the elbow; a hole is cut in the lower end, which allows the mit to fit over the cork grip, incasing the hand very warmly.

Hoods, ear muffers, or such a head covering as that used by skaters, while perhaps not particularly handsome, will be quite comfortable, and if one wishes to be fully equipped he can get a felt gaiter which will pull up over the entire shoe. A loose-fitting shoe is preferable, as it gives the freest ventilation.—N. Y. Journal.

GROWING OLD.
It Always Comes as a Surprise to People.

"I think there is something radically wrong with me, doctor," said a middle-aged woman to her physician, and she began to describe her symptoms. "Alas, madam," announced the man of science, "I fear yours is a complaint from which many of us suffer, and which is, unfortunately, incurable. It is a case of Anno Domini—a disease which is always epidemic."

Age comes to us all as a surprise. It seems odd when our feelings are as young as ever that our bodies are no longer as supple; that we can no longer sit down on the rug in our old favorite attitude before the fire; that in going upstairs we must take it slowly; that without feeling appreciably different in any way, or recognizing any change, the elasticity and spring has gone out of our bodies. We say of our contemporary: "So-and-so has grown so much older!" and of another: "How she has changed!" But in ourselves we see no such alteration. We fail to recognize the ravages of time. Our muscles are somewhat stiffer than of yore and our figures are stouter, perhaps, but we feel no particular difference. A slight case of Anno Domini, undoubtedly, but not nearly as pronounced as with others of our age.

W. C. T. U. DEPARTMENT.

(Edited by the Lebanon W. C. T. U.)

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The W. C. T. U. will hold its regular meeting Tuesday April 6, at 2 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Bryant.

BRIDGET'S CURE
There is a notorious character in a big city who has been six hundred times in jail as "drunk and disorderly," just long enough each time to sober up, before he comes out to wallow again in the mire.

After years of fruitless legislation, people are beginning to find out that inebriety is a disease and cannot be cured on the Hahnemann theory that "like cures like," but that the patient must be kept away from the bottle, or the bottle kept away from him.

The Irish woman knew this who said the day she was expecting her husband back from a six months' stay in prison, "I would never have got him looked up, only drink had got into him like a deyll; and the priest told me it was the best way, with the help of God, to get it out of him!"

To make ready for the return of "himself," the "top-back," in the Dublin slum tenement house, Bridget washed her children's clothes in a tub at the window, while the five clustered naked near the fire-place, which at least reminded them of warmth.

Wet or dry the five must get back into them in order to run down the long stairs and bring their father up. She tidied herself, drawing down the hair over a long scar on her forehead, therefore hiding a "sorrow's crown of sorrow."

The five brought him up in triumph. "An embrace and 'It was not I that did it, Bridget, but the drink!'" "I know that, Pat, and it was the drink I went against."

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Dated at Lebanon, Or., this 18th day of March, 1897.
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