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The Archbishop of Canterbury is a great example of a ready wit, according to the Pathfinder. He was going with a number of clergymen in to a luncheon, after some ecclesiastical function one day, when some dignitary observed:

"Now to put a bridle on our appetites."

Quick as lightning the archbishop retorted, "Say, rather, now to put a bit between our teeth."

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"Why, mamma, I just love Iceland moss!"

This Calls for Sympathy.

"Yes, it's pretty hard luck to find your coal bin empty during a cold snap and be unable to replenish it except at exorbitant prices. To keep my house half way warm yesterday cost me \$3. 'Great Scott! What extortion!'"

"N-no, it wasn't exactly that. It was even worse. There was no fuel in the house, and I had to burn the children's Christmas trees."

Not Very Cool.

She—My dear, baseball is a very cool game for the spectators, isn't it?

He—On the contrary, it is an unusually heated one.

She—But the papers speak of the thousands of fans—aren't they electric ones?—Baltimore American.

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"Well, my son, for farming you need a plow and a harrow and a lot of other implements, and for agriculture all you need is a pencil and a piece of paper."—Washington Star.

Objective Reform.

The defendant had been found guilty of habitually getting drunk and beating his wife.

"You'll not be guilty of indulging in the 'tick her' habit during the next two years, anyhow, you sorry specimen of manhood," said the judge. "Officer, remove the prisoner."

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"Wait a minute, and I'll—"

"But I want to know who's president now—not who's going to be president a minute from now!"—Chicago Tribune.

As Exemplified.

"Man's inhumanity to man," chuckled the backer of the winning pugilist who had pounded the other chap to a jelly, "makes countless thousands cheerfully pay their good money to see it working."

Will Know Later.

Stranger: I am told you have a "purchasing agent" in this city. What does he do?

Native—Mister, we're payin' the Murrian commission \$50,000 to find out.

Good Enough.

George—Do you think that I'm good enough for you, darling?

Darling—No, George, but you're too good for any other girl.—Illustrated Bits.

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The word "Vermont" on a can of maple syrup has always raised that brand about one hundred per cent in the estimation of the buyer. A few years ago, however, a method was discovered of imparting this same delicious flavor to preparations without the use of real maple syrup. This flavoring extract is called Mapleine.

If a dish of syrup made with mapleine and the real Green Mountain kind is placed before a Vermont, he would not be able to tell the difference between the two. This is largely due to the absolute purity of the ingredients and the great care used in the manufacture.

Mapleine is purely vegetable and makes a syrup that is equal to any superior to most brands of maple syrup that are placed on the market.

To make delicious flavorings for cakes, ice cream and sauces, nothing is required but a little granulated sugar and water with a few drops of mapleine dissolved therein. Housewives find it a great convenience in preparing puddings out of leftovers.

A little booklet, with the title of "Mapleine Dainties," is published by the Crescent Manufacturing company, who are the makers of Mapleine. The booklet will be sent free to anyone who asks for it. Nearly every grocer carries Mapleine. Try some today and you will say the same that thousands of others have, that here is a flavor with the real maple taste. This little suggestion for a sauce for puddings: Whites of two eggs, one and a half cups of granulated sugar, one cup of milk, one teaspoonful of mapleine. Mapleine is to be used anywhere that another flavoring could be used.

Quoth the Vegetarian.

Well, when no more your purse can stand
The uplift in the price of beef,
There's more nutritious food at hand;
Eat beans and rice, and find relief.

Pettit's Eye Salve for 25c.

Relieves tired eyes, quickly stops eye aches, congested, inflamed and common sore eyes. All druggists or Howard Ross, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Briggs—A safe conversational rule is, When in doubt talk of the weather. Griggs—Safe nothing! I met my tailor yesterday, and on my speaking of the weather he replied, "Yes, it is unsettled, and that reminds me of that little bill of yours."—Boston Transcript.

Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

Very formal.

In all the latest novels out
The damsels are, beyond a doubt,
Of lofty tone;
And never see their beaux without
A chaparran.
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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"I have suffered with piles for thirty-six years. One year ago last April I began taking Cascarets for constipation. In the course of a week I noticed the piles began to disappear and at the end of six weeks they did not trouble me at all. Cascarets have done wonders for me. I am entirely cured and feel like a new man." George Kryder, Napoleon, O.

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"Harold," peremptorily spoke the stern father, "you are spending a good deal of money on booze and tobacco."

"Yes, sir."

"And you look disreputable."

"Yes, sir."

"Stop it at once! Put the lid on yourself!"

Hastily thanking him, the young man went out, bought a \$5 hat, and had it charged to the stern father.—Chicago Tribune.

Colds on the Chest

Ask your doctor the medical name for a cold on the chest. He will say, "Bronchitis." Ask him if it is ever serious. Lastly, ask him if he prescribes Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for this disease. Keep in close touch with your family physician.

Ayer's

When you tell your doctor about the bad taste in your mouth, loss of appetite for breakfast, and frequent headaches, and when he sees your coated tongue, he will say, "You are bilious." Ayer's Pills work well in such cases.

EXPLOSION KILLS 79

Primero Coal Mine in Colorado

Scene of Disaster.

BODIES PILED AT FOOT OF SHAFT

Nearly Seventy Others Were in Mine and Little Hope That They Are Alive.

Primero, Colo., Feb. 1.—Seventy-nine bodies of the victims of yesterday afternoon's explosion in the Primero mine were found piled in a mass at the foot of the air shaft shortly after midnight.

When the explosion occurred the men evidently made a rush to escape through the air shaft, and were suffocated as they battled with one another for freedom.

It has been shown by the time-keeper's records that there were 149 men in the mine at the time of the explosion. Few are thought to be alive. The main shaft of the mine is completely wrecked.

The mine authorities telegraphed an order to Denver early this morning for 80 coffins. One man only has been found alive. He is badly injured and has not been identified.

The explosion occurred in the mine of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Three men at the mouth of the mine were killed by the force of the concussion.

Both fans with which the mine was equipped were shattered, but were replaced and J. H. Thompson, superintendent, and a rescue party entered by the main air shaft, but were unable to reach the main shaft, which was completely blocked. The party returned to the surface after securing five bodies, which were badly burned.

A party equipped with oxygen helmets replaced them and continued the search for more bodies. Miners were rushed to Primero from Trinidad, Saundo, Starkville, Sopris and Cokeville, and labored frantically to clear the main shaft, relieving each other every few minutes.

Most of the victims are Slavs and Hungarians, although Electrician Will Heism is among the missing.

The camp was a scene of indescribable horror last night. While every able-bodied man was taking his turn with pick and shovel to clear the shaft, the women and children, kept back by ropes, gathered about the shaft, weeping and calling loudly upon their loved ones who had not been found.

Members of the rescue party say that the effect of the explosion underground is indescribable. The bodies recovered were horribly burned and unrecognizable. One body was impaled on broken timbers.

PARIS RECOVERS.

Water Recedes and Work of Repairing is Begun.

Paris, Feb. 1.—Improvement in the general situation continues and the spirits of the Parisians are rising as the waters fall. Street hawkers are selling postcard pictures of the flood and the boulevards are once more gay with thousands.

With the crisis past, the mercurial French temperament faces the subsidiary troubles with a light heart, but the papers already are warning the people that measures must be taken to avert a repetition of the disaster.

The prefect of the department of the Seine has issued instructions to the owners of flooded houses to clean and disinfect their premises to the satisfaction of the municipal architects within 24 hours after the subsidence of the waters.

The government has ordered the tax collector to show the greatest leniency to delinquents, and the Mont de Pieté is extending pawn tickets for three months.

Public and private benevolence continues to respond to the call of the sufferers. Theaters and societies are organizing benefits, while the various race courses are arranging a big meeting for the spring, the receipts of which will go to the poor. A resolution has been introduced in the chamber of deputies asking the government to award special crosses of the Legion of Honor to those who have been conspicuous in the rescue work.

Although the papers are printing columns of pitiful stories, a hundredth part of the horror never will be known. Many corpses have been swept down river, and occasionally a corpse is found in a boat, broken away from some funeral procession.

PLAN TO RULE CUBA.

Negro Party Could Win Everything If Held Together.

Havana, Feb. 1.—Organization of a distinct negro party, with the avowed intention of obtaining control of the Cuban government, is being agitated through the republic—and the movement has become menacing from the viewpoint of the whites. This issue has been brought to public notice recently by race conflicts upon the hotel question, and the numerical strength of the negroes, united, gives it portent.

Provision, the organ of the Partido Independiente de Color—Independent Party of Color—prints the newly constructed platform of the party, which contains these significant provisions:

"The Independent Party of Color shall be organized throughout the whole republic with a national character, to maintain its equilibrium toward all Cuban interests."

"The republic of equality, sovereign and independent, without race discriminations or social antagonisms, shall get our support."

To what extent promoters of the new movement may be successful remains to be seen, but there can be no doubt that, if the organization of the negro race as a political party ever should be effected, it would rule the republic.

The importance of the congressional elections in July can hardly be overestimated. It is not so much a question of which party shall return the greater number of candidates, as whether the independent republic, unaided by American supervision, shall prove itself competent to conduct an absolutely fair and peaceable election.

President Gomez' appointment of Senator Manuel Sanguily as secretary of state ends the long suspense regarding that important office. It is significant that the president should have gone out of the ranks of all political parties to select Sanguily, who ever has been an independent of the independents.

THUMB NOW INDIANS' PEN.

Service Requires Impression of Digit Instead of Crossmark.

Chenawar, Or., Feb. 1.—Orders have been issued to the agents in the field of the Indian service to require thumb-mark signatures by Indians who are not able to write.

Thumb-mark signatures are now required on all checks, receipts and other official papers, which were formerly signed by a cross-mark by Indians and others. The impression is to be made with the right thumb placed after the names instead of the crossmark as before. The thumb-mark is then witnessed to make the identification certain and thus be an infallible method of identification in case of dispute or attempted fraud.

This was first done in the Indian service in 1905, when the system was adopted as evidence of the authenticity of written agreements with Indians, the thumb print of the signers being required in addition to their signatures or their marks. The system now includes the entire business of the department.

Height Bothers Paulhan.

Salt Lake City, Feb. 1.—Louis Paulhan, the French aviator, made a successful flight of 10 miles at Agricultural park today. He reached an altitude of 300 feet, or approximately 4,600 feet above sea level. He made an average speed of about 30 miles an hour, and included in graceful maneuvering. After the flight Paulhan expressed his disappointment that he was unable to fly a longer time. He said it was owing to the peculiar atmospheric conditions that he was unable to reach a higher altitude.

Peary Wins Flag Case.

Elmira, N. Y., Feb. 1.—The demurrer interposed by Robert E. Peary, discoverer of the North Pole, in the action for destruction of the American flag, growing out of the display of the famous "North Pole" flag at the Hudson-Fulton celebration, was sustained today by Justice Lyon. Rowell R. Moss, an attorney, who brought the action, announced that he would carry the case to the Supreme court rather than acknowledge defeat.

Goebel Dies, Heartick.

Cincinnati, Feb. 1.—On the 10th anniversary of the assassination of William Goebel, the funeral of his brother, Arthur Goebel, who died in Phoenix, Ariz., on January 20, was held in Covington, Ky., this afternoon. Commonwealth Attorney Franklin, in his funeral oration, declared that "the bullet that killed William Goebel, together with the liberation of all those charged with the murder, just as certainly killed Arthur Goebel." Arthur, he said, died of a broken heart.

Lips Fastened With Pins

Los Angeles, Feb. 1.—Fastening his lips together with safety pins so he could not curse, Vernon E. Bennett, formerly a missionary among the Indians, was carried, a raving maniac, into the receiving hospital yesterday. It was necessary for Nurse Morgan and Probation Policeman Leo Marden to pry his jaws apart with instruments to get at the ordinary pins and needles with which he had filled his mouth.

Po May Overflow Its Banks.

Rome, Feb. 1.—Although weather conditions have improved throughout Italy, reports are still being received of the flooding of much territory. The river Po threatens to overflow its banks, while at some points landslides have occurred. Disasters from Perugia say that the river Tiber continues to rise and is three feet above the highest level of the last flood.

Asiaties to Work on Railroads

San Francisco, Feb. 1.—The Pacific Mail steamship Manchuria arrived here tonight four days behind her schedule, having on board 400 Asiatics, 175 of them Hindus, for work on California railroads.

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Her Vocabulary.

"When I returned from our poker party last night my wife just looked at me; not a word was spoken."

"My wife looked at me, too, and I don't believe that a word was spoken."—Houston Post.

A Wabash Avenue Opinion.

"Speaking of good things, I'd like to show you something in the London Punch that—"

"You can't show me nothing." Jack Johnson's got a punch that has all them furriers gaspin' fur breath!"—Chicago Tribune.

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Presumably.

Mrs. Chugwater nudged her husband, "Josiah," she asked, in a low voice, "what is that man in uniform doing?"

"He's bottling a sample of the atmosphere in this car," answered Mr. Chugwater.

"What's he doing that for?"

"He's going to use it as a fertilizer. What did you suppose?"

Bound to Make a Sale.

"Wouldn't you like to try a bottle of my celebrated eye remedy? Only 30 cents."

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